Weather

Fine and hot weather. The maximum temperature yesterday was 95.4 and the minimum 78.3, figures for the corresponding day last year being 95.9 and 78.4.

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WOOD DEFIES LEGISLATORS, NEW RUMPUS IN PHILIPPINES

Interior Secretary Refuses To Obey Senate Summons

ON WOOD'S ADVICE

Good Prospect For Renewal Of Old Struggle

(*Reuter's Pacific Service*)

Manila, July 24.—Secretary of the interior Agoncillo, instructed by Governor-General Wood, has refused to obey a summons by the Senate to appear before it to explain why he had allowed Governor-General Wood "to encroach on the prerogatives of his Department." The action is expected to lead to renewal of non-co-operation between the Legislature and Governor-General Wood. The prospects are for another long and bitter campaign by the Legislature and the vernacular Press against the Governor and American sovereignty.

Peace Parleys In Kweilin Area Making Progress

(*Reuter's Pacific Service*)

Peking, July 21.—The peace negotiations between Generals Shen Hung-ying and Lu Yung-ting, following the withdrawal of the former's troops from the siege of Kweilin, are making satisfactory progress, according to information obtained from military quarters in Peking. The withdrawal of General Shen's troops was the result of mediation on the part of General Ma Chi, Marshal Wu Pei-fu's special representative in Kuangsi. Most of General Shen's command are at Hsingan and Kuangyang, while General Tung Yao-wen has been sent to Chuanchow to meet General Lu's delegates and discuss terms of settlement, including the immediate arrangement of a neutral zone between the two forces pending a final agreement.

General Chang Teh-sheng, Chief of the Kiangsi Yichun troops, who returned to Honan a few months ago, has now gone back to Kiangsi and is established at Tayuliang in accordance with instructions from Marshal Wu Pei-fu.

General Sun Chuan-fang, Tupan of the Fukien-Kwangtung border has asked the Central Government to place General Chang and the Yichun troops under his command in the event of General Sun being instructed to move into Kwangtung.

Horne Pessimist On Trade Status

(*Reuter's Service*)

London, July 23.—The Finance Bill passed the third reading in the House of Commons today after a debate in which Sir Robert Horne (Conservative) drew a gloomy picture of the condition of British trade owing to heavy taxation, Mr. William Graham, the Financial Secretary to the Treasury, replying, admitted that much of British trade was being conducted under enormous difficulty. He expressed the opinion that the Government could best help by proceeding on lines of sound finance and maintaining British credit.

Tropical Diseases Conference Opens

(*Reuter's American Service*)

Kingston, Jamaica, July 23.—The International Conference on Tropical diseases opened here today. Sir Leonard Rogers and other British experts were present.

House To Ballot On Dr. Yen Friday

(*Reuter's Pacific Service*)

Peking, July 21.—The Chinese press reports that a vote on the nomination of Dr. W. W. Yen as Premier will be taken in the House of Representatives on Friday next.

Cotton Prices Soar, Due To Heat In U. S.

(*Reuter's American Service*)

New York, July 23.—Cotton advanced today 260 to 185 points on heavy speculative general buying owing to heat and drought in the south-west. Many large Wall Street and Western traders, who are prominently identified with the advance in grains, were heavy buyers of cotton.

$16,000 DAMAGES AWARDED AGAINST CHINA MERCHANTS

Judgment From Steamship Company Given By Mixed Court

Damages in the amount of $16,000 were awarded by the Mixed Court yesterday in the action brought against the China Merchants' Steam Navigation Company by Mr. A. M. Vinogradoff in respect of injuries sustained on board the steamer Hsin Ming.

The decision of the court, rendered by Assessor Ivanov and Magistrate Yui, contained several important points.

The case, it will be recalled, was filed on behalf of the Russian complainant about a year ago, when damages to the amount of Tls. 49,000 were claimed and a number of lengthy hearings were held.

The plaintiff was represented by Messrs. Williams, Franklin and Faison, while Mr. H. Lipson Ward filed the answer for the defendants.

The judgment handed down by the Court was as follows:

In this case the plaintiff, a Russian named Vingradoff, claims damages of Tls. 49,000 by alleging that he sustained injuries as a result of a fall from a wooden ladder in the course of his duties on January 2 last year on the s.s. Hsin Ming of the China Merchants Steam Navigation Co. The Court after hearing the evidence of both parties, finds, that the plaintiff's injuries from the fall had probably resulted partly in the awakening of his old sickness thereby rendering him impossible to return to his normal state of health, forever.

"As regards the said ladder no-mishap had ever occurred to all workmen going up and down. Plaintiff being in the capacity of a second officer should well know the condition of the ship, and he should be careful, at all times, as to whether the said ladder was safe or unsafe in going up and down. It was partly through his own carelessness that he has fallen down, and as a result of the fall sustained injuries which can in no way attach blame to the China Merchants' Steam Navigation Company.

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The Court, however, takes into consideration the seriousness of the plaintiff's injuries as a result of the fall in the course of the duties, and also the fact that it would be impossible for him to regain normal health. The China Merchants' Steam Navigation Co., will therefore be ordered to pay to the plaintiff compensation in the sum of Mex. $16,000, included in which amount are salary and medical expenses. Further, the defendants are to pay the Court fees in the case and the expenses of Dr. Ransom's examination, in the amount of Tls. 110. Judgment to be paid within two weeks from date.

The vCourt considers it is necessary to give the opinion that the case cannot be, in any way, considered as a precedent. The judgment is final and the Court is not prepared to hear any application for re-hearing.

River Defense Chief Summoned

(*Reuter's Pacific Service*)

Peking, July 21.—General Wang Ju-chin, Defence Commissioner of the Upper Yangtsze, has been summoned by President Tsao Kun to come to Peking and report upon the military situation in this district. He left Chungking on July 19.

China Association Chief In London Hopes Powers Will Soon Take Hand Here

Time Has Not Arrived For Any Modification Of Treaties Under Which Foreigners Live In This Country; Says David Landale In Summary Of Situation

(*Reuter's Service*)

London, July 23.—At the annual meeting of the China Association today, Mr. David Landale, the Chairman, regretted that the political situation in China had not improved. He hoped that the Great Powers concerned would soon turn their attention to China, but the time had not come for any modification of the treaties under which foreigners resided in China and under which foreign trade was carried on. Mr. Landale emphasised the passage in the report declaring that if China wished to modify her present international status, her first duty was to put her house in order and then, following the example of Japan, undergo a long course of preparation not merely in re-modelling her legislation but in training officials who could be trusted to have it honestly enforced.

Referring to the "unfortunate" position in the negotiations for the renewal of Crown leases in certain treaty ports, Mr. Landale asserted that the British Government had decided that as large a sum as possible should be extracted from lot-holders for the renewal of leases, thus greatly hampering the expansion of business. Referring to the statement by Mr. F. W. Jowett, the Commissioner of Works, in the House of Commons on July 16 that only 6½ percent of the lease-holders opposed the new terms, Mr. Landale said that he telegraphed to Tientsin in that connection and received a reply this morning that Tientsin and Hankow alone represented 60 percent of the dissentients. Apparently Mr. Jowett transposed the figures but as he was willing to receive a deputation, he would be asked to explain his statement. Mr. Landale hoped that eventually some reasonable terms for the renewal of the leases would be offered.

Mr. Landale said that the position with regard to trademarks was also very unsatisfactory. It was regrettable that the Chinese Government had not placed the registration of trademarks under the supervision of the Inspector-General of Customs as was agreed under the Mackay Treaty.

ROTARIANS HEAR PETER ON RETURN OF BOXER FUND

First Hand Information On Remission Given At Weekly Meeting

Dr. W. W. Peter, director of the Council on Health Education, who has just recently returned to China after a stay of four months in the United States, addressed the Shanghai Rotary Club before its weekly meeting at the Astor yesterday. He told of his experience with the American Congress in putting through the bill which authorised the return of the balance of the Boxer Indemnity Fund to China by the United States as an "act of friendship."

Due to the pressure of other work, the bill was referred to the Committee on Foreign Affairs in the House of Representatives, which heard the testimony of a number of experts on the subject on March 31 and April 1 and 2, Dr. Peter said. Before this committee, statements were made by Prof. Lucius C. Porter of the department of Chinese of Columbia University, Dr. A. L. Warnshuis, formerly with the China Continuation Committee of Shanghai, Dr. Edward H. Hume, president of Yale College, Changsha; Dr. Wm. H. Foulkes of the General Council of the Presbyterian Church; Miss Mary E. Wood, Boone University, Wuchang; Dr. Dwight W. Edwards, executive secretary of Princeton-in-Peking Work; Dr. Ralph A. Ward, secretary for Eastern Asia of the board of Foreign Missions of the Methodist Episcopal Church; Mr. John Van A. MacMurray, Chief of the division of Far Eastern Affairs of the State Department, Washington; Mr. Robert McElroy of Princeton University, Mr. L. C. Dyer, the Missouri Congressman and Mr. Che-Chun Hsiang, graduate of Yale University.

The resolution was to authorise the president of the United States to remit to China as an act of friendship the balance of the unpaid portion of the boxer indemnity amounting to G.$6,137,552.90. The resolution, after much filibustering, passed the House on May 7. When the question was taken, there were 211 yeas, 114 nays and 107 not voting.

The speaker attributed to the success in the passage of the bill to two reasons: 1. The general friendly attitude of the Americans towards China and 2. The winning personality of Dr. Alfred Sze, the Chinese Minister to Washington. To Dr. Sze, Dr. Peter paid his highest tribute. Said he: "He stood high among this colleagues in Washington. He stood high among the statesmen, representing the various nations at Washington."

Due to the lack of time, Dr. Peter had to confine his speech to the subject of his recent trip, but promised to deliver another one shortly on the subject of health education.

At yesterday's meeting, the Rotarians passed a resolution authorising the Public Welfares Committee to investigate into the question of street peddling and soliciting by Russian children in Shanghai. T. C. Britton, president of the club, occupied the chair.

Japanese Tariff Is Waived On Goods Enroute Before July 5

(*Reuter's Pacific Service*)

Tokio, July 24.—Goods in transit before July 5 are exempted from the new tariff duties if application for such exemption is made before the promulgation of the act, which is expected in two or three days, according to a notification issued by the Government. It is understood that this ruling meets the principal diplomatic objections to the tariff.

Rebel Aviators Endanger Vessel

(*Reuter's American Service*)

Monte Video, July 23.—The captain of the Greek steamer Andrios on his arrival here reported that he had been unable to finish unloading his vessel at Santos owing to rebel airmen bombarding the dreadnought Minas Geraes. The Andrios was obliged to leave port owing to the danger of bombs hitting the ship.

Heavy Floods In Cochin China

(*Reuter's Service*)

Simla, July 23.—It is officially stated that persistent rain-falls have led to unprecedented floods in States of Travancore and Cochin. All bridges within 15 miles of Munnar, near Coimbatore, have been destroyed. There have been 110 fatalities in that area. Many persons have been injured and much damage has been done elsewhere.

SUNDAY PICTORIAL

Readers have already obtained some conception of the magnitude of the floods at Kalgan from the narratives published of the devastating visitation. We have received a number of vivid photographs from the scene of the disaster which will be reproduced in the next issue of THE CHINA PRESS Sunday Pictorial.

Madison Square Garden "Lit Up"

Madison Square Garden, New York City, scene of the Democratic National Convention, was bathed in a glow of searchlights during all the night sessions of the convention.

LOCAL MUSICIAN SERIOUSLY HURT IN MOTOR CRASH

"Bertie" Heyes Badly Injured; Two Other Accidents Are Reported

"Bertie" Heyes, who was pianist at the Hotel Parisien and is one of the best-known musicians in town is in a highly critical condition at the Shanghai General Hospital as a result of a motor car accident early Wednesday morning, when he and two friends were returning from a trip to Minghong.

It is stated that on the return trip the chauffeur dozed at the wheel and that on being aroused by the passengers he suddenly switched on the headlights and found himself on the brink of the roadside ditch, which he was unable to avoid running into. The car, it is stated, hurtled into the ditch and rolled over three times. The chauffeur and the two other foreign passengers were thrown clear of the machine, while Mr. Heyes was pinned beneath the wreckage. The other foreigners concerned, after trying futilely to move the car, recruited a gang of coolies and shifted the machine from Mr. Heyes' body. The victim it was then seen, was suffering from a severe cut on the left side of the neck, a cut narrowly missing the jugular vein, and other injuries. As soon as transport could be secured he was rushed to the General Hospital where it was said his condition was serious.

A fatal motor accident occurred Wednesday night on Nanking Road when a car driven by Dr. Gregorian, 11-a Nanking Road, struck a Chinese woman and child near Kweichow Road crossing. Dr. Gregorian took the two to Shantung Road Hospital where it was found that the woman, who has not yet been identified, was dead and that the child had suffered a cerebral injury resulting in paralysis of the left arm and leg. It is stated that the woman, holding the child by the hand, dashed in front of the motor car and that it was impossible to avoid the accident.

Shortly before noon yesterday a Chinese boy was run down by a Chinese chauffeur in front of the Astor House, Whangpoo Road. He was taken to St. Luke's Hospital, where it was stated that his injuries are serious, concussion of the brain having been occasioned by his fall.

MacLaren Now At Murakami Bay

(*Reuter's Pacific Service*)

Tokio, July 24.—Squadron-Leader MacLaren arrived at Murakami Bay, Paramushiru, at 7:30 yesterday evening.

BRITAIN ADOPTS PLAN FOR RADIO COMMUNICATION

Suggestions Of The Donald Committee To Be Accepted In Main

(*Reuter's Service*)

London, July 23.—Mr. Vernon Hartshorn, the Postmaster-General, announced in the House of Commons today that the Government had decided to adopt the main recommendations of the Donald Wireless Committee. He added that meanwhile the Marconi Company had submitted proposals in respect of use of short-wave directive stations, the so-called beam stations, for communications between Britain and the Dominions and India and had definitely arranged to erect a beam station in Canada to communicate with Britain.

The Government was prepared to co-operate in the trial of this new system. The agreement would be submitted for the approval of the House of Commons in a few days, by which the Marconi Company as contractors would erect a beam station in Britain, adapted for communication with Canada and capable of extension to communicate with South Africa, India and Australia.

The Government would only accept to pay for the installations if they fulfilled certain minimum guarantees, namely, communication at the rate of 100 words a minute for the following average number of hours daily throughout the year: With Canada 18 hours, South Africa 11 hours, India 12 hours and Australia 7 hours. Communication would only take place during the hours of darkness and one or two hours before and after twilight.

Judicial Committee Hears Arguments In Irish Dispute

(*Reuter's Service*)

London, July 23.—The judicial committee of the Privy Council today heard the arguments of counsel to determine whether the Crown can instruct the Governor-General of North Ireland to appoint a member of the Irish Boundary Commission in view of the refusal of the Government of North Ireland to do so. The committee announced that it reserved its decision and would communicate its advice privately to the King.

ALLIED CONFERENCE IN LONDON HOLDS PLENARY SESSION, PROGRESS MADE

Dominion Delegates Attend In Capacity Of Observers; Various Committees To Sit During The Week-End For Consideration Of Numerous Questions; Rumors Of Breakdown Discounted By French And British Leaders

(*Reuter's Service*)

London, July 23.—The plenary session of the inter Allied Conference reassembled this afternoon. The delegates included the Canadian Senator Belcourt, while the High Commissioners of Australia, India, South Africa and New Zealand were present in the capacity of observers. The Conference sat for two hours and some progress was made. No new plenary meeting was arranged but it is understood that the various committees will sit during the week-end, when several questions will be submitted again to the committees for further consideration.

M. Herriot will probably go to Paris tomorrow and return on Monday.

(*French Wireless through Reuter*)

Paris, July 23.—H. Herriot saw Mr. Hughes this morning and was afterwards present at a meeting of the Prime Ministers and Presidents of Committees. In the course of the meeting the question of the supplementary guarantees demanded by the bankers was discussed. As M. Herriot's program does not seem to admit of modification, the negotiations have reached a delicate point. The French theses is that the Reparations Commission must conserve full independence and if a representative of the investors is to figure with the Agent for Payments, it must be in a purely consultative capacity.

In the course of the second plenary meeting this afternoon a juridical committee was formed to decide whether the experts' plan contains stipulations beyond those of the Treaty of Versailles and the condition in which the Germans can be called into consultation.

PARIS.—Massachusetts war veterans today laid flowers on the tomb of the unknown soldier.

FRENCH PAPER URGES DEATH FOR ARMS MEN

Says Smugglers Should Be Executed And Ships Confiscated

The death penalty for arms smugglers, of whatever nationality, and of the confiscation of ships bringing contraband in the form of arms to China, is advocated by the local French paper, L'Echo de Chine, which bitterly attacks those responsible for the recent flood of [illegible] and ammunition which has swept into Shanghai.

Strength is added to the argument by the discovery Wednesday and yesterday of a large store of contraband pistols and ammunition aboard the French Mail liner Angkor. This is the fifth French Mail ship from which the Customs have captured arms in the past few weeks.

Ships of other nationality have also fallen frequently under the hands of the Customs and quantities of arms have been seized. But, as the Acting Commissioner of Police stated in the report published in yesterday's issue, the punishments have failed lamentably as examples in each of these instances. In one Consulate here the maximum penalty is 29 days' imprisonment—and it is seldom imposed. In others it is either less or very little more impressive.

The article in the French paper reads as follows:

"Every sensible man knows that all opium smugglers deserve the utmost penalty which law has power to enforce, but speaking frankly, their crimes pale into insignificance besides those of the arm smugglers. Opium only injures willing victims. It is different with arms. The men who buy this class of contraband have no intention of committing suicide, but would make use of the weapons for brigandage and assassination.

"Unfortunately the secret sale of arms continues at Shanghai. Ships coming from foreign countries from time to time bring into our port large quantities of these engines of destruction. It is true that quantities of contraband are discovered now and again by the Maritime Customs, but the amount seized in this way is not one-tenth of the amount of arms that find their way into the hands of the criminals.

"To put an end to this disgraceful traffic it will be necessary to put to death every smuggler who is discovered, regardless of his nationality, and to seize every ship on board of which arms above a certain amount are discovered, whether these ships belong to Chinese or foreigners. Recently a subject of a certain foreign nation was condemned to two days' imprisonment for having sold revolvers secretly. A punishment so disproportionate to the crime will not discourage the smugglers.

"It is a good thing to execute brigands who are guilty of robberies and armed desperadoes who commit assassinations, but human honesty revolts at the thought that the smugglers who instigate their crimes should go free."

(*Reuter's Service*)

London, July 23.—The official communique on today's plenary session of the Allies Conference states that Mr. MacDonald made a statement with regard to the representation of the Dominions and India, similar to the announcement made in the House of Commons recently by the Colonial Secretary, Mr. Thomas.

Afterwards a committee of jurists was appointed to report on the question whether the putting into operation of the Dawes plan gave rise to questions, and, if so, which would require to be settled by agreement with Germany and what procedure should be adopted in order to arrive at such agreement without in any way running counter to the Treaty of Versailles.

The consideration of the report of the First Committee was deferred pending the conclusion of the works of the Second and Third Committees.

Sir Robert Kindersley submitted the report of the Third Committee with regard to the organisation to be established for putting to proper use the payments by Germany, particularly deliveries in kind. The Committee was of opinion that the Reparations Commisson and the existing inter-Allied service were eminently suited for this purpose, and that, therefore, it was unnecessary to appoint a new body. As a result of discussion the terms of reference of the Third Committee were extended.

The report that M. Herriot would leave for Paris at the week-end to consult the French Parliament with regard to the negotiations in London is officially denied.

The Committee of Jurists, mentioned in the official communique consist of Sir Cecil Hurst and M. Fromageot. The work of this committee is regarded as the first step towards getting German representatives to appear before the conference.

Mr. Mellon, the Secretary of the United States Treasury, had a long conference with Mr. MacDonald today. Subsequently the Prime Minister interviewed the bankers, including Mr. Lamont, Sir Montagu Norman and Sir Robert Kindersley, with regard to the question of security for the investors in the loan to Germany.

It appears that Mr. Hughes, the American Secretary of State, who is visiting England in an unofficial capacity with the American Lawyers' Association, has been in consultation with Mr. MacDonald and other Conference delegates. He saw M. Herriot today at the American Embassy in Company with the American Ambassador.

(*Reuter's Service*)

London, July 24.—Though competent French quarters in London admit that there is cer-

tain to be a deadlock, feeling is not pessimistic. It is not believed that the Conference is about to break down. On the contrary, a prominent member of the French delegation declared that a way would certainly be found eventually out of the difficulty with regard to the proper guarantees to the bankers and the maintenance of the sovereign rights of France according to the Treaty of Versailles.

British circles also are not pessimistic with regard to the Conference but are now convinced that the Conference will last some time, possibly until the first week of August.

Reuter's corespondent in Paris states that the press in general agrees that the London Conference has reached a critical stage but that it is premature to talk of a rupture.

The Petit Parisien anticipates that the difficulty with the financiers will be overcome in a few days by the adoption in a modified form of the suggestion of M. Theunis, the Belgian Premier, that, in the event of necessity for imposing fresh sanctions other than those recommended by the expert committee, the Power which imposes such sanctions shall guarantee the service of the German loan.

RUSS CONSULATE HANDED OVER TO SOVIET YESTERDAY

The Russian Consulate was handed over by the Chinese local authorities to Mr. Elleder, the new Soviet representative, yesterday. Early in the morning, work of handing over the premises and its contents was begun between Mr. S. K. Chen, Chief Secretary of the Bureau of Foreign Affairs and the Soviet agent, who was accompanied by two secretaries.

The work was completed late in the afternoon. Mr. Elleder announced that he would move his office from 14 Kiukiang Road to the consulate within a few days.

The former Russian Consul-General, Mr. Grosse, will leave for Mokanshan next week to join his family there.

War Clouds Hover In Kweichow Province

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Peking, July 21.—The clouds seem to be gathering for a clash between the warring elements in the province of Kweichow, according to Consular reports which came to hand over the week-end. It seems that Generals Hsiung Keh-wu and Tan Mou-hsin, who were ousted from Szechuen a few months back by the Northern troops, are planning to forestall General Yuan Tsu-ming's expedition against Kweichow by sending a detachment of their troops from Szenan to Hupeh.

Marshal Hsiao Yao-nan, Tuchun of Hupeh, has, in consequence of this new development, instructed General Yu Hsieh-cheng, commanding the 18th Mixed Brigade, to take the field against the rebellious Generals, whose troops, are said to have captured Laifan and Lichuan, in Hupeh. General Yu has already left Chungking with his troops and his task of subduing General Hsiung Keh-wu is likely to be rendered more difficult by the circumstance that, by virtue of the large sum of money he took with him when he fled from Chengtu, the latter is reported to have secured supplies of arms and ammunition from General Tang Chi-yao, the Tuchun of Yunnan.

Shameen Strikers Demand Recall Of Consul-General

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Peking, July 21.—Consular telegrams in regard to the negotiations now proceeding for a settlement of the Shameen strike report that the strikers' demands include the rendition of the police administration of the Concession, the recall of the British Consul-General and the cancellation of the new restrictions upon Chinese entering after nightfall. The last mentioned demand seems to be regarded by the strikers as a *sine qua non*.

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What The Chinese Papers Are Saying

Peking, July 23.—Dr. W. W. Yen will entertain the Parliamentarians of both houses at a reception to be held on Friday and Saturday at the Agricultural Experimental Station to announce his platform after his appointment as premier.—Eastern Times.

Tientsin, July 23.—In response to the request of the foreign experts to cut the dyke of the Southern Grand Canal, the Chinese Chamber of Commerce has recommended an absolute rejection of the plan and has communicated its views to the Chief of the Constabulary and the Civil Governor. The plan was first rejected by the Constabulary because the action would endanger the existence of several hundred villages. When the plan was submitted for the second time, the police requested the chamber of investigate and the result of the investigation not only disfavored the plan but threatened to resort to force if any such scheme is worked upon.—Eastern Times.

Anking, July 23.—Over a thousand bandits are threatening to enter the city of Hufei. It is reported that the magistrate, Mr. Yuan, has been encircled by the outlaws at Sanshihlipo.—Sin Wan Pao.

Changsha, July 23.—The Bureau of Finance has issued an order, legalising the levy of cigarette taxes in the province along the same lines as those of Kiangsu and Chekiang. The tax will be enforced on August 1.—Sin Wang Pao.

Canton, July 23.—Following the deadlock in the negotiations between the strikers and the British Consulate, the strike at Shameen is becoming more general. All the servants in the employ of foreigners quit their jobs yesterday. The tug and lighter coolies met and decided not to work for foreign vessels.—Republican Daily News.

Canton, July 25.—The flood here has subsided. The city is quiet.—Republican Daily News.

Hangchow, July 23.—The New Chekiang Journal was suspended today by order of the Constabulary. Its editor, Chu Tsai-seng, has disappeared from this city.—Republican Daily News.

Peking, July 23.—The executive commission of the House of Representative passed a resolution today, authorising that the question of the appointment of Dr. W. W. Yen as premier be listed on the agenda of the meeting of the House on Friday.—Shanghai Tribune.

Peking, July 23—Marshal Wu Pei-fu has authorised the establishment of a mint in Loyang and appointed Mr. Chu Shih-ching managing director of the mint.—Shanghai Tribune.

Peking, July 23.—M. L. Karakhan, the Soviet envoy, has addressed a note to the Ministry of Foreign Affairs, asking the latter to instruct the provincial bureaus of foreign affairs to use their good office to urge the "Whites" to return to Russia.—Shanghai Tribune.

Peking, July 23.—It is understood that M. L. Karakhan, the Soviet Envoy, will present his credentials as Ambassador, to China on Friday.—Shun Pao.

Mukden, July 23.—Marshal Chang Tso-lin has telegraphically offered General Pao Kwei-ching, ex-Minister of War, the directorate of the Chinese Eastern Railway.—Shun Pao.

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Seattle's ex-Mayor Held As a Horse Thief.

Ole Hansen, Seattle, Washington's picturesque war Mayor, now a resident of Los Angeles, Cal., where he is in the real estate business, is prepared to defend himself against a charge of horse stealing in a Pasadena, Cal., court. The charge was brought by Clarence W. Basten, of Sierra Madre. "I am charged with stealing my own horse," said Hansen. "When I moved to Los Angeles I shipped five horses there. Some one stole one, and when I found it on a vacant lot at Sierra Madre, I took it back."

FRENCH PRESS IS BLAMED FOR ROW AT PARIS GAMES

British Athletes Oppose Withdrawal From Future Olympiads

(Reuter's Service)

London, July 23.—The opinions of British athletes, voiced in British newspapers, strongly oppose the movement that Britain should withdraw from future Olympiads because of the demonstrations of Latin temperament in minor events. They point out that a remarkable feature of the Paris Olympiad has been the friendliness between the English-speaking competitors, including the Americans. It is regarded as curious that the controversy should be revived when Britain has carried off the championships in which Britishers take most pride.

Reuter's Paris correspondent states that Baron de Coubertin, the President of the International Olympic Committee, denies that the games in Paris have destroyed the spirit of international sportsmanship and deprecates discouragement because of a few cases of lack of discipline. He accuses the French press of failing to educate the public to the true significance of the games and declares that the attitude of the press is responsible for the lamentations.

Chinese And Belgian Banks Finance New Lunghai Rail Loan

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

The Chen Pao says that during the Yuan Shih-kai monarchical movement a portion of the Lunghai Railway loan was used for monarchical propaganda, which necessitated the suspension of the construction of the section between Sianfu and Lanchow. Recently the Chinese Government decided to construct this section, and on July 19 a loan was signed by the Ministry of Communications with a group of Chinese banks. A Belgian bank is also participating because it held an option over this section.

The loan is stated to be for $5,000,000 at the price of 90, the security being the revenues from the Lunghai Railway.

The group is said to include the Bank of Communications, the Bank of China, the Bank of Chinchens, the Salt Industry Bank and the Bank of Chungnan.

Later.—The actual amount of the loan is 75,000,000 francs, which will be issued in Europe by the Banque Belge Pour L'Etranger for the purpose of purchasing railway material; also, $10,000,000 will be issued in China to cover the cost of construction.

These amounts will be issued in two equal instalments, the Chinese banks underwriting the Chinese issue, the interest on which will be 8 percent.

The section to be constructed is from Chengchow, in Honan, to Sianfu.

The agreement represents a modification of the old Belgian agreement of 1912 and the continuation of the line to Lanchowfu will be carried out later, while Dutch interests will complete a short section near Haichow.

Britain Approves Consortium Plan

(Reuter's Service)

London, July 23.—In the House of Commons today, replying to Mr. D. G. Somerville (Conservative), Mr. Arthur Ponsonby, Under-Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, said that the Government approved the recommendation of the Advisory Council of the China Consortium in favor of renewal in perpetuity, subject to the right of any group to withdraw at twelve months' notice. He had reason to believe that the recommendation would be approved by the groups.

For particulars see "Shun Pao" and "Sin Wen Pao" or write to Shanghai College of Accountancy, (S. C. A.) 11 Markham Road, Shanghai.

DISPLAY IS GIVEN FOR VISITING FIRE CHIEF FROM KOBE

Mr. Hanomure, chief of the Kobe Fire Department, was entertained yesterday by a turnout of the Central Fire Brigade station, in which demonstration was illustrated the rapid respond of the local department to any call, and the efficiency with which it works when "on the job."

Pumps, escapes and other apparatus were ordered out for the showing, and when they concentrated on a hypothetical objective in Hankow Road the result was such as to evoke unqualified praise from the visiting expert. Chief Officer Pett and other officials of the local department were on hand for the display and a huge crowd of foreigners and Chinese gathered in Hankow Road during the exhibition.

Mr. Hanomure, who is only visiting Shanghai for a day or two, was guest of honor at the Fire Brigade Mess at Central station Wednesday night and is being entertained by the Fire Department and other organisations during his brief stay here.

JAIL BUTCHER

The licensee of the Woo Mi butchery on North Szechuen Road, Dzung Foh-tsang, was sentenced to one month's imprisonment by the Mixed Court yesterday for selling pork which did not carry the stamp of the slaughter house. It was stated by witnesses that the same offense had been committed before.

Today's Concert

The following program will be rendered, weather permitting, by the Municipal Band in the Public Garden, commencing at 5:30 p.m.

1. March, Near Beer. del Castello
2. Overture, The Caliph of Bagdad Boildieu
3. Waltz, Jet t'aime Waldteufel
4. Selection, Spanish Folk Songs Relle
5. Fanfare Militaire Ascher
6. Selection, Il Pagliacci Leoncavallo

A. de Kryger,
Assistant Conductor.

South Africans Playing Durham

(Reuter's Service)

Sunderland, July 23.—The weather was unsettled at the opening of the two-day match between Durham and the South Africans, and play did not begin until after lunch. Durham were all out for 195 (Weight 43). At the close of play one South African wicket had fallen for 25.

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News Brevities

Sixty-one traffic cases came before the special Traffic Branch of the Mixed Court yesterday and fines were imposed ranging from $2 to $15. One foreigner, H. Gobel, a Pole, was charged, the accusation being that he failed to observe police signals at the corner of Urga and Dixwell Roads on July 5. He was fined $15.

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On Wednesday 500 employes of Messrs. Arts and Crafts, Ltd. went out on strike as a protest to the installation of a new time-keeping system calculated to supervise the working and movements of the staff. Yesterday, however, most of the striking employes had returned to work, unconditionally.

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For selling forged lottery tickets in the Settlement a Chinese was sentenced to five months' imprisonment at the Mixed Court yesterday.

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Acting on the request of the French police, members of Sinza station branch of the Settlement police department assisted Wednesday night in the arrest of two Chinese charged with engaging in the arms traffic. The two men, Shia Chi-tse and Li Sung-yoong, were taken into custody at 829 Myburgh Road. They were turned over to the Frenchtown authorities for prosecution.

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It is referred to in official circles, says the Chung Mei Service, that President Tsao Kun was not able to grant the hurried request for an interview made by a certain American lady, who, as she puts it, comes to China representing 25,000,000 women throughout the world for whom she is advocating universal education. The President is said to have been sorry that he could not have seen the distinguished American lady who wanted to talk with him about the present conditions in China and particularly the attitude of the Chinese toward her movement.

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It is reported that President Tsao Kun will receive M. Karakhan today, when the latter will present his credentials as Soviet Ambassador to China. The Bureau of Ceremonials and the Department of Protocol of the Waichiaopu are busy preparing a set of ritual etiquette for the reception of M. Karakhan by the President.

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The Chinese press recounts that, in view of the present extreme shortage of telephone instruments in Hankow, a small shopkeeper in the native city decided to offer his phone for auction. The sale went merrily, the 'phone at last being disposed of to a merchant who bid $250.

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On the morning of the 17th instant Tuchun Hsiao Yao-nan called to together to his yamen the leading merchants of Hankow and requested them to take immediate steps to organise the collecting and handling of funds for the relief of flood sufferers in Fukien, Hunan and Kiangsi. In response to this appeal, the merchants have already organised a "Three Provinces Relief Bureau" in the premises of the Hankow Benevolent Association.

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The International News Agency reports that Tuchun Chi Hsieh-yuan, in the name of the Inspector-General of Kiangsu, Kiangsi and Anhwei, has wired to General Hsiao Yao-nan, Inspector-General of the Lianghu Provinces, asking him to sign a telegram to be addressed to the Peking Government for the withdrawal of all foreign gunboats in the Yangtsze River. Tuli Yang Sen of Szechwan has also been asked to make such an appeal to the Government. This manifestation will soon be made public in Peking, and these military authorities are said to be decisive in attaining their aim.

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Following the example set by Marshal Wang Huai-ching, Mr. Hsieh, of the Peking Police, has issued circulars to the various rice shops ordering them not to raise the price of foodstuffs. He also on Sunday sent special officers to the shops for the purpose of ascertaining the current prices and stating to the shopkeepers that if they disobey the order they would be severely punished.

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In view of the re-appearance of lottery tickets under the pretext of raising funds for various charitable works, the Peking Police Headquarters, with the concurrence of the Ministry of Interior has issued circulars to the offices of the Commandant of the Metropolitan Forces and the Chingchow Taoyin asking for their cooperation in prohibiting their circulation.

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Prince Kalachin, Director of the Bureau of Mongolian and Tibetan Affairs, asks the Government to make an advance against the next five years' rice allowance on behalf of the Mongolian Princes who are forced to remain in Peking. These former dignitaries are hard pressed for money on which to live and the Prince urges that the precedent made to Prince Nayentu in the third and fourth year of the Republic be followed.

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Mr. Sun Hung-yi will not leave Peking immediately, according to political observers, who say he has not given up his house or his servants and that he apparently intends to remain for some time. He is now visiting the Ming Tombs but it is said he will return shortly.

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The rubber paving, which was placed round the Cenotaph in London in October last year, has not proved a success, and will be replaced by wood. There are about 1,500 square yards of rubber blocks at this spot, valued at £6,000. They were the gift of Rubber Roadways, Ltd., to Westminster, but the mechanical side has always given trouble. It is an unfortunate experiment; the rubber is right, but the method of laying has not been successful.

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In view of the fact that many small investors are imperfectly acquainted with the technical terms of the Stock Exchange and the money market, a writer in the London "Financial News" provides a glossary that he thinks should be of service. It may be sung in public without fee or license, he tells us. Included are:—Rubber Restriction: An ingenious device to increase profits by selling less at lower prices. Yen: A sensitive currency.

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At the World's Sunday School Convention at Glasgow a message was read from Mr. Coolidge, President of the U. S. A., expressing his best wishes for the success of the gathering. Work in the Philippine Islands was sketched by Rev. A. L. Ryan, a Britisher, who, commenting on how little was known of these islands, said he was once asked, "Are these the same people that St. Paul wrote to?"

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Fix Heavy Fines For Opium Sales

The sum of $1,000 in fines was assessed by the Mixed Court yesterday in the case wherein ten Chinese were charged with aiding and abetting in the sale of opium at 29-A Tung Gee Bai Ka. Two of the accused were dismissed, two others were fined $200 each and the remaining six were ordered to pay fines of $100 each by Assessor Jacobs and Magistrate Sung.

Routine Orders' S.V.C.

No. 113—Bray Cup Competition. The Bray Cup Competition (Judging Distance) will be held on Sunday August 17.

Teams will consist of two representatives of any ranks from a Light Horse troop, Artillery, Engineer or Machine Gun section, or Infantry platoon.

Entries must be made in Writing to Corps Headquarters before noon on Wednesday, August 13 at which hour the order of start will be drawn. No subsequent entries will in any circumstances be considered.

No. 114.—Officers Leave. Major Very Rev. C. J. F. Symons, Headquarters, from 27-7-24 to 23-8-24.

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Hungary Wants Treaty With China

(*Reuter's Pacific Service*)

Peking, July 21.—While the negotiations relating to a Sino-Australian Commercial Treaty are proceeding in Vienna, Hungary has come forward with the proposal to negotiate a similar treaty with China. It is expected that Hungary's request will be granted soon in view of the fact that Austria and Hungary are jointly interested in some of the questions that will come up for settlement in a treaty with either country.

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Canion Kayos Cruz In Sixth Round At Carlton Boxing Show; Good Card

Gonzalo Gets Decision Over Syd Keenan In Semi-Final, And Terrible Pete Defeats Filipe Flores; Good Card Next Week

By Westa

There was a good program of boxing at the Carlton last night, with one knockout in the ring and several outside. Honors for Canion gets credit for the one inside the ropes, while ...ors were scored by Kid Humidity, whose victims were ...ed.

And ...tomers. Everybody was ...ppily at the finish.

There was plenty of excitement during the evening, particularly in the main event. In this scrap Rufe Canion and De la Cruz clashed in what was to have been a twelve round bout, but Rufe flattened his man in the sixth.

This was one of if not the hardest battles ever staged in Louie's Bazaar de Bust. The two Filipinos went at it from the tap of the gong, and hardly had the echos of the said gong subsided when Rufe caught Cruz with a clout on the ...v that sent him down for a ...nt of nine. As soon as he got ...e Rufe sent in another that gave ...ute Hansen, the referee, a second ...ance to show off his knowledge ...f arithmetic, and then, with Cruz upright but very wobbly and with Rufe panting with eagerness to finish the party, Knute had to call time to tie a string on Cruz' glove. While Knute was doing this Cruz shook the cobwebs out of his bean, so that when Rufe rushed him again he was able to keep away until the end of the round.

A SLAM BANG BATTLE

From then until just before the end it was a slam bang battle, with both boys letting go with everything they had in stock. Cruz took some terrible thumps in the next five rounds, but managed to stick it out, although he was groggy after a particularly furious onslaught in the fifth. In the sixth Canion caught him with a wallop in the breadbasket that stretched him full length on the canvas, whereat most of the customers figured he was through for the evening. Once more he staggered to his feet, but Rufe was merciless, sending him down an instant later for the full count.

This was a fast and furious scrap all the way. In fact, the way that pair tore into each other you would have thought that one of them was a Manila Senator and the other one the governor general sent out from Washington. Canion had much the better of the argument from the start, and except for the fact that Cruz' glove came untied in the first he probably would have ended the argument in that stanza. The brief breathing spell afforded by that incident gave him a chance to collect his scattered senses sufficiently to stall along until the gong sounded.

A QUEER DECISION

The semi final was a good scrap all the way, with neither boy doing any great amount of damage. In the matter of blows struck it appeared to be about a stand off with Gonzola landing a few more perhaps than Keenan, but with Syd's having more steam in them. Syd was vastly superior on defense, covering so completely that Gonzalo's whacks spent themselves harmlessly on the Keenan gloves or elbows.

In aggression Keenan was much superior, forcing the fight all the time. Hardly once did he wait for Gonzalo to attack, or even give him a chance to attack. Two or three times there was a flurry in which the Filipino rushed Syd to the ropes, on which occasions he flailed away industriously with both hands, but Syd was perfectly covered every time, and several times he countered so viciously that Gonzalo was glad enough to back away.

There was much surprise and dissatisfaction over the decision in favor of Gonzalo in this scrap, and indeed there seemed to be plenty of reason for these adverse expressions of opinion regarding the ruling. Syd hit his man as often and as hard or harder than he was hit himself. Not once was he in anything that remotely resembled trouble, and on top of all that he carried the battle to his opponent. Many competent judges of boxing expressed the opinion—and expressed it in tones that could be heard halfway across the room—that Syd should have had a draw, at the very worst. There were many who thought he should have had the decision, and not one of at least twentyfive or thirty who gave voice to their views in the presence of this writer was satisfied with the verdict as it was given.

SYD OUTWEIGHED

Gonzalo should have won that fight easily. He weighed just under 130 pounds on Louie's scales just before the bout started, against 119 for Keenan. Eleven pounds is a flock of weight to give away in that division, and if Gonzalo had made proper use of his advantage he doubtless would have worried Syd a lot. The difference in weight, of course, is not a factor to be considered in reaching a decision, and nobody expected it would be.

Keenan put up one of the best battles he has ever fought here. He trained hard for the fight, with Billy Tingle helping him, and went in there determined to win. That, of course, was not a factor to be considered in reaching a decision, even if it had been within the knowledge of the referee and judges, nor did anybody expect it to be. The decision had to be based, of necessity, on the respective showings of the boys in the ring, and it was precisely on that basis that all the complaints were founded.

The main preliminary, between Terrible Pete and Filipe Flores, was a fast argument all the way. Both boys hammered each other merrily, although somewhat clumsily, all the way. At the conclusion of the battle the referee lifted Pete's hand in token of victory, whereat there was a loud and anguished howl from the customers.

The curtain raiser, with Fernan and Peralto in the points, ended in a draw.

Next week Johnny Hill and Leonardo Garcia will meet in a title scrap for the featherweight crown of China. This card will be staged on the roof, weather permitting.

S.C.C. XI WILL BE GUESTS OF RACE CLUB SATURDAY

Annual Came To Be Played On Club Grounds After Tiffin

The S. C. C. XI. will be the guests of the Race Club to tiffin on Saturday on the occasion of the annual cricket match: S. C. C. v. Race Club, S. C. C. Ground, 2 p.m. Sharp.

S. C. C. XI.—H. H. Morris (Capt.), E. G. Barnes, D. Burn, W. C. G. Clifford, E. R. Duckett, A. J. W. Evans, H. C. B. Peck, T. L. Rawsthorne, D. R. Mackintosh, J. E. Jupp, G. C. Beaumont.

Reserves: A. H. Leslie, L. Goldman.

Race Club XI.—W. E. O'Hara (Capt.), E. C. Baker, T. A. T. Begg, R. Grimshaw, J. Harder, D. W. Leach, H. E. Muriel, G. F. Bichard, C. Knight, C. R. W. Thompson.

Reserves: W. G. R. Murphy, J. H. Rafkes.

Golf Championship Set For November

Mr. Haves, Secretary of the Shanghai Golf Club, announced yesterday that it had been decided to hold the "Open Amateur Championship of China" on Saturday and Sunday, November 1 and 2. Entries close on October 15 at Noon.

Cricket Line-Ups

The following players will represent the Recs in tomorrow's league games:

1st League on S.R.C. Ground

J. L. Wade and H. B. Ollerdessen, G. N. Manley and W. T. Manley, J. P. Hawes and C. Sofoulis, A. V. White and S. Emamooden, T. G. Main and J. A. Quayle.

2nd League on S.C.C. Ground

L. P. Quincey and C. J. Smith, G. E. Marshall and W. H. Brockett, R. J. S. Brandt and B. H. Smith, W. H. Ferris and J. V. Jensen, G. Madar and B. A. Shirazee.

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Lawn Bowls Line-Ups

Junior Golf Club's team against Shanghai Lawn Bowls Club at Hongkew tomorrow at 4 p.m.

A. Mackintosh (Skip), J. Ross Young, P. W. Ephgrave, and C. E. Larsen.

W. R. Kinipple (Skip), D. McAlister, E. M. Smith, and F. B. Walker.

A. Braid (Skip), C. Hendry, P. B. Critchley, and T. Goodman.

G. B. Stormes (Skip), J. R. Milligan, H. McKinnon, and A. E. Hayward.

Reserves: E. Linde and J. Ross.

For the Wallace Cup on Sunday:

D. McAlister (Skip), C. Hendry, E. Linde, and T. Goodman.

G. B. Stormes (Skip), W. R. Kinipple, P. B. Critchley, and E. M. Smith.

A. Braid (Skip), J. Ross Young, A. E. Hayward, and P. W. Ephgrave.

A. Mackintosh (Skip), J. R. Milligan, J. Ross, and C. E. Larsen.

Reserve: G. Sale.

The following members have been selected to play for the Yangtszepoo Lawn Bowls Club in the "Wallace Cup" competition on Sunday:

A. A. Malcolm (Skip), A. Cheetham, J. M. Smith, and G. Hall.

G. McMurdo (Skip), F. Lloyd, W. Bailey and F. Ferrier.

R. C. Aitkenhead (Skip), J. Tomlinson, E. Kerley and H. Roebuck.

A. McGregor (Skip), D. Ramsay, J. E. Harvey and G. Johnston.

Reserves: R. Thomson, A. McLeod, A. C. Haytorn, A. Raitt.

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Oliver Twist, McBain Up, Winner Of Champions Race At First Tsingtao Card

Emil And Victor Gensberger Win Second And Third Prizes; Chinese Servant At Club Takes First Prize Of $9,255

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Tsingtao, July 20.—The first race meeting of the International Recreation Club came to a close this afternoon after a highly successful three-day program. A crowd of nearly 5,000 were attracted by the splendid weather on the last day. The Club has made arrangements to hold two more meetings this year, one in August and a final one in September.

The Champions was won by the fast Shanghai pony, Oliver Twist, owned by the Powhattan stables and ridden by the Shanghai jockey, McBain. The race was a duel between Oliver Twist and The Decoy, Oliver Twist winning by a nose. The sweep amounted to $9,255.70 and was won by a Chinese servant at the Club. The second and third prizes went to Mr. Emil Gensberger and Mr. Victor Gensberger of Shanghai who won $2,644.50 and $1,322.20 respectively.

RESULTS

The Strand Plate (One mile and a quarter).

S. Z.'s Madhatter (Mackay) Dead-heat.
Arrow's Broad Arrow (McKerrow) Dead-heat.
Mrs. Jernigan and Merritt's Royal Arrow (Sokoloff) ...3

Also Ran: Melbourne, Marigold, Midnight Star.

Time: 2.58.

Pari-Mutuel: Win $14.10, $32.80, Place $19.10, $26.80.

The Litsun Plate (One mile).

Powhattan's The Decoy (McBain) 1
Mongolia's Altan Gold (Sokoloff) 2
Optimists' The Kid (MacKay) ..3

Also Ran: Alabama, Twilight Star.

Time: 2.14.

Pari-Mutuel: Win $7.50: Place $6.30, $7.40.

The Hunchun Plate (One mile and a half).

Mr. A. Schmitt's Star of Mary (MacKay) 1
Mr. Kitamura's Fuji (Kitamura) 2
Vorwaerts's Eisenader (Raydt) .3

Time: 3.36.

Pari-Mutuel: Win $6.30: Place $6.90.

The Kiao-Ao Plate (One mile and a half).

S. Z.'s Tania Australias (MacKay) 1
Mongolia's Prince de Monogolie (Sokoloff) 2
Topaz's Baystone (Alperovich) ..3

Time: 3.21.

Pari-Mutuel: Win $11: Place $8.40

The Kobe Plate (One mile and a quarter).

Mongolia's Banyink Gold (Sokoloff) 1
Mongolia's Bayink Gold (Alperovich) 2
Mongolia's Chao Chun (Raydt) ..3

Also Ran: Rustaban.

Time: 2.43.

Pari-Mutuel: Win $8.60 Place $6.20.

The Jockey Cup (Once round)

Star's Morning Star (Chang) ...1
Mrs. Jernigan and Merritt's Royal Arrow (McKerrow) ..2
Mongolia's Arshan Gold (Raydt) 3

Time: 3.04.

Pari Mutuel: Win $6.30, Place $6.00.

The Tsingtao Champions (One mile and a quarter).

Powhattan's Oliver Twist (McBain) 1
Powhattan's The Decoy (Sokoloff) 2
Optimists' Pei Hai (Mac-Kay) ..3

Also Ran: Madhatter, Bright Star, Barnaby Rudge, Broad Arrow, Star of Mary, Baby.

Time: 2.54.

Pari-Mutuel: Win $5.50: Place $5.10, $5.20, $5.30.

The Tsinanfu Plate (five furlongs)

Messrs. Lee and Chang's Dairen (Hu) 1
Topaz's Topazstone (Sokoloff) ..2

Time: 1.21.

Pari-Mutuel: Win $10.50: Place $23.30.

The Consolations (One mile).

Mongolia's Altan Gold (Sokoloff) 1
Mr. Kitamura's City of Tokio (Kitamura) 2
Fly's Butterfly (MacKay) 3

Also Ran: Igore, Peter, Marigold, Midnight Star, Hayakaje.

Time: 2.20.

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(Reuter's Service)

London, July 23.—At an athletic meeting at Queen's Club today the Diminions beat the Achilles Club by 35 to 31 points.

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Long Jump.—Atneinson (South (Africa) 23 ft, 5½ and Abrahams (Achilles) 22 ft. 10 in.: Honner (Australia) 21 ft. 6¼ in.

½-Mile.—Lowe (Achilles): Harris (Canada): Watts (Achilles). Won by four yards. Time: 1 min. 58-1/5 sec.

120-yards Hurdles.—Atkinson (South Africa): Partridge (Achilles). Won by half a yard. Time: 16½ secs.

Pole Jump.—Francis (Canada) 12 ft. 6 in.: Pickard (Canada) 12 ft.: Campbell (Achilles) 11 ft.

High Jump.—Roberts and Sutherland (South Africa) and De Willis and Dickinson (Achilles) all tied at 5 ft. 9-1/8 in.

2-Miles.—Richardson (South Africa): Bryant (Achille Montague (Achilles). Won by six yards. Time: 10 min. 8-4/5 sec.

¼-Mile.—Stevenson (Achilles): Renwick (Achilles): Christie (Canada). Won by four yards Time 50½ sec.

1-Mile.—Stallard (Achilles): Baker (Achilles): Barnes (Canada). Won by three yards. Time: 4 min. 37-1/5 sec.

220-yards.—Kinsman (South Africa): Porritt (New Zealand): Butler (Achilles). Won by 4 yards. Time: 22-1/5 sec.

220 Yards Hurdles.—Atkinson (South Africa): Lord Burghley (Achilles): Dickinson (Achilles). Won by 15 yards. Time: 25 sec.

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Boston, June 15.—American captains of industry, many of them occupying the highest stations in the financial, commercial and industrial life of America, eminent educators in graduate schools of business administration and high-powered executives in the field of international trade gathered in Boston today for the eleventh national convention of the National Foreign Trade Council.

It is expected that this convention will mark an epoch in the history of American foreign trade. For one thing, there will be formulated an international banking policy for the control or manner in which American money is spent which may have far-reaching results as a policy involving millions of dollars which the United States loans to foreign countries.

James J. Stirrow of Lee, Higginson & Co., Boston, presided at the first general session, as James A. Farrell, who as president of the trade council will preside at the other sessions, was on the program to deliver an address, following short speeches of welcome by Channing H. Cox, Governor of Massachusetts, and James M. Curley, Mayor of Boston.

The Governor paid a tribute to the leadership of President Coolidge, while the Mayor criticised the national Administration for its foreign policy. Mr. Curley especially deplored immigration restrictions—lack of international courtesy, as he termed it—and failure to establish a merchant marine to take care of American-made goods. He hoped that the convention would lay the foundation for the removal of foreign trade from politics and for putting it under the direction of men specially trained to do that work.

Mr. Farrell, in his address, cited as evidence of the growth of American export trade in the last two decades the fact that 20 years ago nearly 90 percent of exports from the United States were produced by less than 20 concerns, while during 1923 the 100 chief exports represented only 85 percent of the total exports, and also were the products of wide diversification of manufacture. Mr. Farrell said in part:

"It should be plain that wider cultivation of foreign markets would tend to stimulate American enterprise. There is inviting opportunity for expended effort, particularly in markets which have not heretofore attracted as much attention from American manufacturers and exporters as might have been given to them profitably.

"Great Britain, not including Ireland, took from us last year, merchandise to the value of $865,000,000. The total of our exports to the 19 countries of Latin America was $659,000,000. Great Britain has a population of less than 50,000,000, and more than 1,000,000 are unemployed.

IN LATIN AMERICA

"The population of Latin America is more than twice that. Moreover, we bought from Latin America considerably more than we sold her. Thus Latin America had dollars with which to purchase the things she needed or wanted. These facts force upon us the suggestion that in the markets of South and Central America there is opportunity for greater expansion.

"Never has it been more important to the success of our commerce that we should have the benefit of sound training among its active men. We are entering a period which will see, I hope, a more determined effort than ever to establish ourselves and expand our trade.

"It is of high value to have the services of men who have not only received the grounding in fundamentals of a careful course in foreign trade in an effective educational institution, but have had instilled into them as one result of such a course, a readiness to live abroad and to devote themselves, as a career, to this interesting business.

"There are educational institutions in the United States which are devoting much time and care to this training of young men for the foreign service both of the Government and of private business. Business can help these institutions and benefit itself, by finding or making places for their graduates.

"Finally, the attention we have been giving to the troubles of Europe is reflected, naturally, in much of what we hear and read, until it seems, sometimes, that we are a little in danger of taking our gone from the obvious troubles of that distracted part of the world and allowing the more hopeful situation of our own and other countries to pass unnoticed.

REASONS FOR CHEER

"There are many reasons why we should be cheerful rather than depressed. As business men, we know that emotional reactions are temporary; that, as a nation, industry and agriculture will not for long thrive on pessimism. There are indications that we are getting out of the mood of unjustifiable depression. It has lasted long enough and a reaction to considered optimism is not far off."

Walter F. Wyman, sales and export manager, The Carter's Ink Company, speaking on the "Profit Side of Export," said that literally thousands of American manufacturers, without increase in selling price, make greater profits overseas than at home. This is because so many articles are made from imported materials on which duty is paid. Continuing, he said:

"When these articles are sold in the domestic market, the duty paid on the imported materials becomes a part of the cost of manufacture. But when these identical articles are exported, it is possible to secure a refund or "draw back" of 99 percent of the duty paid. There can be no more striking proof of the greater profits possible through exporting than these cases involving "draw back." "

STUDENT TRAVEL

At a luncheon of the National Council on Foreign Service Training, at the Hotel Brunswick, which was open to all the convention delegates, "Student Travel in Foreign Land's as an Adjunct to Foreign Service Training" was discussed by Dr. Glen Levin Swiggett, United States Bureau of Education, Washington, D. C. The council was organised in 1915.

Dr. Swiggett said:

"Through efforts of the council, largely, 63 colleges and universities reported last December a student enrollment of 16,746 in subjects relating to foreign service training; 3787 of these students were carrying the work as a major.

"The council now has under consideration a plan whereby present efforts and methods can be co-ordinated, with the hope that the colleges and universities will ultimately accredit supervised travel of that character. Twelve larger universities have reported organised effort for supervised student travel, the major purpose of which with the larger number is cultural."

What the business man thinks about education for foreign trade was expressed by Henry Howard of the Cleveland Chamber of Commerce. He thought the establishment of a foreign trade students' exchange was the most practical manner of bringing the university foreign trade students and the business men of the United States together in solving the vexatious problem of now to stabilize the foreign trade career for young Americans.

Mr. Howard said that it seemed to him that if such a students' exchange were established by the educational committee of the National Foreign Trade Council in New York, the principal colleges carrying foreign trade courses thus could register their students. Then when a manufacturer was in need of a young man for his foreign department, he could apply to this students' exchange for the names of the students about to graduate.

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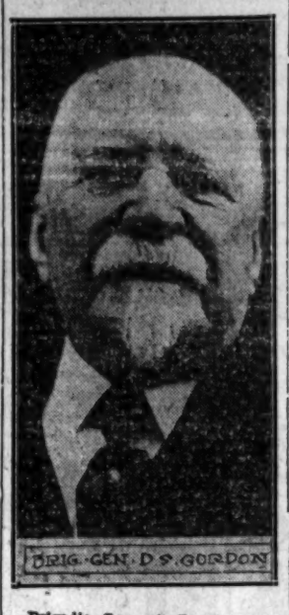

BRIG.-GEN. D.S. GORDON

Brigadier-General David Stuart Gordon, noted retired cavalry officer, has just celebrated his 92d birthday in Washington, where he now lives. Although retired for "old age" 29 years ago, General Gordon is in excellent health. He was appointed second lieutenant of the 2d Dragoons in 1861 and served with distinction in many campaigns.

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We Are Still Cave-Men, Asserts Noted Scientist

BY LOUIS KANTOR

How, we say, times change. Ten million yesterdays ago Man almost lived like the wild beasts he hunted and ate and whose skins he wore. True, he possessed the fundamentals (in a more primitive fashion) of our own material culture—housing agriculture, crafts—but just the same he was a Cave Man.

He couldn't fly. He couldn't travel undersea in submarines or in Hudson tubes. If his wild, involutary stock perversely played hide and seek, seemed reluctant to show up and he killed with a stone javelin, he couldn't telephone the wife not to wait up. Nor could he read. Neither had be a receiving set. Paul Whiteman's jazz was denied him.

How, we say, Man has changed.

And then Professor William Fielding Ogburn of the Department of Sociology, Columbia University, steps up and says, calmly, he hasn't. What! Man hasn't changed snce the days of the Cave Man? Not even in the last 2,000, or 150 years? Why look at the things he has done! The Woolworth Building, ocean liners, Brooklyn Bridge, sixteen-inch cannon. All the wonderful inventions—why, professor, you must be joking.

Nevertheless, Professor Ogburn isn't joking. Says he, in effect: "I am not saying that the world we live in (the reference here is not, of course, to the natural universe) hasn't changed in a cultural or social sense, or that Man doesn't develop culturally or socially during a lifetime, but it is doubtful whether natural or biological Man is fundamentally different from the Cro-Magnon Man or Cave Man."

But doesn't eugenics? Isn't the Nordic race superior to the—? Isn't Edison a step higher than —? How about heredity?

MAN HAS CHANGED

Answers to these questions will be found further on in the article, but at this point it is essential to repeat that Professor Ogburn is speaking of natural Man. Natural Man, that is, whether he be Cro-Magnon or modern. Natural Man with his biological fears, hates, appetites—his instincts, generally. Viewed from this angle we have not changed; we are, he says, still biologically speaking, Cave Men. Society, because of inventions, because of the accumulaton of cultures, has changed; the germ-plasm which keeps Man alive seems not to have changed at all.

In other words, Professor Ogburn maintains that while we can talk and read and fly and pick up sounds and messages charged into the air thousands of miles away, these are not natural characteristics. A modern child or a hundred modern children for example, left on a desert island would no more be able to talk and fly than another hundred Cro-Magnon children left on the same hypothetical island. Or if a modern child could be brought up among the Cave Men, the last 25,000 years of social evolution, cultural development generally, would be unknown to him and would not be inherited by him. He would not, in fine, be the superior of the Cave Man in any visible respect.

Whereas the Cro-Magnon child brought up among us would, dependent on his mental ability, have as much chance of becoming an Edison or a Harold Bell Wright, or just an Average Man, as the modern child. Moreover, a Cro-Magnon Man "dressed," says Professor Ogburn, "in modern clothes" would be unrecognisable, would not stand out, save perhaps in the sense that Jack Dempsey or the Wild Bull of the Pampas stands out.

MALADJUSTMENT TO LIFE

It is a scientific way of saying that Man, with all his external progress, is still pretty much the same follow. In fact, Professor Ogburn's most telling point in distinguishing between biological and social evolution is in indicating Man's maladjustment to life in the Modern City. This maladjustment—our crimes, our sex difficulties, our indigestion, our wanderlust; the fact, for instance, that twice as many single men (and women) go insane as married persons—leads him to think that we are Cave Men trying to live in the Modern City.

This theory that man's maladjustment is the result of his biological unfitness for his present environment, while it seems to prove Professor Ogburn's obverse point, that if Man's biological evolution were equal to social evolution (he distinguishes the latter from cultural evolution), there would not be such market maladjustment, leaves one somehow dissatisfied and not a little bewildered. One wonders, after all, how all this social evolution got here. If, as Professor Ogburn said, "social evolution is the evolution of society," and society is possible only when men associate, surely it is legitimate to assume that social evolution would be impossible without Man. How, then, draw so sharp a line between Man and his present-day environment? And didn't Man evolve biologically from the animal that was almost a man? It occurred to me suddenly that perhaps Professor Ogburn was a Fundamentalist, that he didn't believe in "evolution."

"Of course," he said—we were talking in his office at Columbia University one day last week—"I believe in evolution. I only say that evolution, Man's evolution, has been slow."

"But did he evolve?"

"Yes, but you must bear in mind that I am saying he has not changed since the Cro-Magnon or Cave Man. In the course of 500,000 years—say from the time of the creature Pithecanthropus Erectus, who lived, we think, about then—great biological changes or mutations undoubtedly have taken place. The skull of Pithecanthropus is slightly more than half the size of Man's. But that Man is descended from this creature, whose skull measurements indicate that it was a 'missing link' in the matter of skull capacity intermediate between ape and Man, is not really known."

Not until the Mousterian period, about 50,000 years ago, are skeletal remains of Man or man-like creatures found with a sufficient degree of completeness to give estimates of his whole bodily structure, particularly the capacity of the skull, said Professor Ogburn.

DIFFERENCES EXISTED

"These finds establish Man without doubt, but, this Man differed from modern Man, probably more than the yellow races differ from the blacks," he said. "The capacity of his skull was large, larger than the average of modern Man judged by the small number of skulls that could be measured."

The Neanderthal type of creature, he explained, had skulls somewhat more flattened than modern Man, with protruding brow ridges and prominent face but small chin. But it is not known just what significance these measurements, as, for instance, rounded chins, have for mental ability.

"But no one questions that the Neanderthals were of the genus homo," said Professor Ogburn. "Certainly Man was living in Europe 50,000 years ago during the earlier part of the last ice age. But how direct our descent is from this race is not known. In other words, it is not possible to

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tell positively from the evidence of this race whether our own ancestors were more developed or less, or different. Neanderthal Man in his ancient form has not survived today."

Not before we reach the Cro-Magnon type, about 25,000 years ago, is there any actual resemblance to modern Man, however. Up to that time, going back as far as 500,000 years ago, great mutations had taken place, judging by the measurements of skeletal remains—although it is not known why or how these changes occurred.

"But," said Professor Ogburn, "the evidence of biological evolution, as seen in the anatomical measurements, since the last ice age, is certainly very slight, if existing at all."

"Still," one objects, "those 25,000 years, Professor Ogburn—those 25,000 years—haven't you and I inherited the experience of Man over that great period? After all, an electric drill is more satisfactory than a crude pick. I mean, putting aside our undeniable advance in material culture, haven't the arts and sciences generally made an impress on Man?"

"You are confusing Man's natural characteristics with his social heritage," was the reply. Or, better, the germ plasm with social heritage. My point is this: That the germ plasm of Man is the same today as it was in the days of the Cro-Magnon Man. He is born with the same fears and desires. If he did not know about the social heritage—this accumulated result of human endeavor—or, if it were not placed at his disposal, he would not be, biologically, any advance on the Cave Man. Even after he is placed in contact with this social heritage there is nothing to show that he is biologically different from the natural Man of the Cro-Magnon period. This social heritage may modify a man's natural characteristics during a lifetime; it may, depending on his mental ability, make of him an inventor, or an artist. But you must remember that acquired characteristics are not inherited."

This may explain why Edison's sons are not inventors, but somehow it doesn't explain Edison. After all, the social heritage is greater at this moment than it was in Edison's day, and yet very few of us become Edisons. Some of us know just a little more about that social heritage than Edison thinks, but still he is Edison. Is it not reasonable then to assume that Edison's native mental ability is extraordinary—that one Edison shows that Man has not biologically, been standing still?

Professor Ogburn's comment is: "Acquired characteristics are not inherited."

A HALF-TRUTH

For he maintains that the old saying that "necessity is the mother of inventions" is a half-truth. An increase in inventions is not always the result of an improvement in the inherent mental ability of the race; an increase in the number of inventions may flow from an increased mental ability, but the increase in mental ability may be purely cultural and not biological.

"A people may be more able because of training and not because of change in the germ plasm," he said. "In interpreting the phrase, mental ability, it is seen that it does not refer exclusively to the biological element. An individual's mind at a particular moment is the result of both nature and nurture. Variations in ability may result from variations in nurture as well as from variations in nature.

"In another sense it can be shown that inventions are the result of inherent natural ability," he continued. "In any sample of population the distribution of inherent mental ability, in respect to any one mental trait, conforms more or less closely to the normal probability curve; there are only a few individuals with great ability, a few with very low ability and a great many with ordinary ability.

"Inventors are found in the upper portion of the curve. They thus have more inherent ability than those in a lower portion of the curve. So that in this sense superior native ability is responsible for inventions. Over a long period of time the inventors will thus come from an upper portion of the distribution of native ability.

"While this is true, yet over this period of time the average of native ability and the distribution of native ability may remain the same. So that the superior ability of inventors is superior only with respect to the existing individuals of a particular distribution at the time, and not necessarily superior in the sense of increased native ability with respect to an earlier population."

Thus, he explained, referring to my point about the advance of the electric drill on the pick, it will be seen that inventions are greatly dependent on a knowledge of the existing status of culture and cultural antecedents.

"Machines employing the wheel cannot be constructed or invented until the existing culture has achieved the wheel."

"But," I said, "this social heritage is, you say, the result of human endeavor. Well, how can you separate it from Man? If he invents the electric bulb and the radio and the airplane and the steam engine, doesn't it follow that this ability this capability for invention, is an innate capacity of Man? I mean, isn't it part of him—you admit, of course, that it is impossible without him?"

"Well, briefly," he replied, "social evolution is, of course, dependent on human endeavor. But social evolution isn't the result, wholly, of human endeavor. That is the invention of the steam engine may bring with it (and has brought with it) all kinds of change with which human endeavor has nothing directly to do.

THE MODERN FAMILY

"For example, the instability of the modern family and the recent changes in the family as a functioning organisation may be explained wholly on a cultural basis. These changes are due largely to the discovery of the uses of steam and its application to mechanical industry, the rise of cities, the introducton of women into industry and the discovery of methods of birth control. Changes in the family may thus be explained without reference to causes due to changes in the biological nature of Man. Man may remain biologically the same, yet important changes in a social organisation occur."

It is upon this general exposition of his groundwork that Professor Ogburn builds his theory that Man is maladjusted to life in the modern city. Social evolution has sped along, taking great strides in the last 150 years, while Man is biologically where he was thousands of years ago.

Whereas Man, or the creature which evolved into Man, has a natural background of many hundreds of thousands of years as a hunter of wild animals, gathering herbs, nuts or fruits, and inhabiting trees or caves, still seems to possess the same natural characteristics as the Cro-Magnon Man, seemingly unchanged, he is living in a society which forces him to repress (for the sake of order, &c.) or modify his instincts, to repress (for the sake of order, &c.) or modify his instincts, and many of his natural characteristics are either in a state of disuse or never are given a chance for expression.

"Suppose," said Professor Ogburn, "we could place a group of Cro-Magnon men in a modern city. What would be some of the difficulties of adjustment for them? It is fairer to imagine a group of their children being brought up in a modern city. Can we, being biologically the same as the Cro-Magnon men, adjust ourselves to the sedentary life demanded of office workers? If we suffer from indigestion, can it be due to the fact that we do not eat the food that the Cave Man ate, or that we do not take the muscular exercise which the life of the primitive hunter demanded? Do we have difficulties in adjusting ourselves to our institution of marriage and a rigid sex-code? May these difficulties be due to our primitive nature, which may have been adjusted in the age of the cave-dwellers and anthropoids to a more promiscuous expression?

OTHER QUESTIONS

"May our wanderlust tendencies be traced to the fact that primitive men were wandering hunters? Is the monotonous and specialised work on a machine for many hours a day for every week in the year and for many consecutive years the type of life to which our equipment is naturally adapted?

"These questions," he observed, "suggest the nature of the problem of adjustment as it is popularly conceived and suggest the idea that modern civilisation is essentially artificial; that is, not like the culture of hunting peoples, which is assumed to be more natural."

And it is along the same lines that Professor Ogburn explains our unhappiness, nervousness and insanity.

"Certainly," he remarked, "human nature is at the bottom of many of our social and individual ills in the sense that if human nature were only different these problems would not exist. If we were less selfish, less pugnacious, less passionate, more reasonable, more kindly, and more tolerant, our social problems would not be so numerous nor so difficult, and it is quite possible that certain standards of civilisation are set rather high for our primitive nature to conform to."

How else is one to account for the fact, he asked, that the insane in our hospitals between 1880 and 1920 increased 468 percent, while our population increased 111 percent during the same period?—but it must be remembered that more insane are cared for in hospitals nowadays or the fact that there are more beds in the hospitals for the insane in New York than there are beds in all the other hospitals of the State combined. He added that the chances nowadays of an adult going insane is one in twenty-five.

QUESTION OF INSANITY

"A survey of mental diseases in twelve States with a total population of about 25,000,000 showed that to every 100,000 of the population there were 63.8 first admissions to institutions caring for mental diseases," said Professor Ogburn. "But this rate is only for one year, whereas men and women in the United States live, on the average, about forty years. The average age at death in the United States in 1913 was 39.8 years. Over a period of forty years the number of first admissions would be about one to every forty of the general population at any one year, on the basis of a constant population."

Another indication, he said, that cultural conditions are correlated with the frequency of mental disorders is seen from the fact that such frequencies are greater in urban than in rural districts. For instance, the rejections of drafted men with nervous diseases for military service were greater for men from the urban districts.

Then take the rates of first admissions to hospitals from urban and rural districts in the following ailments (these rates are per 100,000 of population of teh same environment):

	Urban.	Rural.
Senile	7.2	5.4
With cerebral arterio-sclerosis	3.3	1.4
General paralysis	8.6	2.0
Alcoholic	2.8	0.6
Manic-depressive	10.5	6.8
Dementia praecox	19.4	9.5
All psychoses	68.2	36.0

The percentage, say, for dementia praecox among males per 100,000 in outdoor occupations is less than half the percentage for indoor occupations, the most striking difference being between telegraph operators with 321 and stenographers or typewriters with 335 as against forty-four for draymen and teamsters and ninety-two for farm laborers.

"But," one says, after hearing that twice as many single men go insane as do married men (the same ratio is true for women), "but don't more farmers' wives go insane than do the wives of the cities?"

"I suppose," replies Professor Ogburn, "you have some statistics to support your question?"

"No," you say, slowly, "but if it weren't true how about all these realistic novels?"

"Well," said Professor Ogburn, "I believed that yarn about farmers' wives myself until I looked up the figures. It seems that there is less insanity among farmers' wives than there is among the farmers themselves, not to speak of women married in the city."

ONE EXPLANATION

So there you have Professor Ogburn's theory—that our social ills probably are due to the fact that we are cave men trying to live up to the standards of modern civilisation. It is one way of explaining social unrest—strikes and labor disputes generally may thus be put down, not to propaganda and Bolshevism and all the other penny-dreadfuls, but simply to Man's discomfort in modern society, his instinctive unwillingness to be a cog in any machine, even though it be the magnificent machine of our so-called civilisation.

"For instance," added Professor Ogburn, "social conditions may become so rigorous in their impositions or effects upon human nature that behavior we call crime will be resorted to. Under conditions of food shortage, looting may result. Slaves frequently steal. In periods of economic depression there is more temptation to violate laws regarding property.

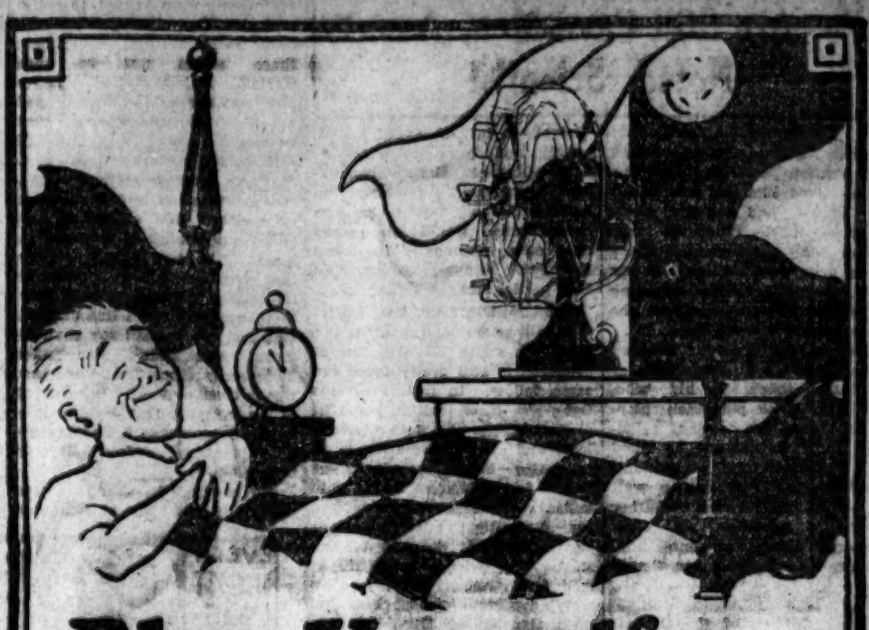
"In other words the motives of the crime might not have caused crime if operating at another time or in another culture. Considered apart from the social consequences, such motives might have been quite normal biological desires. The cultural situation may be so framed that it becomes very difficult for the human desires to find satisfaction."

Professor Ogburn believes that a better adjustment is possible for Man in the modern city. A better adjustment, not a speedy one. It must be realized that biological Man changes very slowly, and that is why too much reliance must not be placed on eugenics as a way of changing the hereditary basis of human nature. For, with the passing of the theory of acquired characteristics, the selective processes of eugenics do not seem to be very significant.

But in the phrase "acquired characteristics" a way is seen out to better adjustment. Professon Ogburn said that the first few years of a child's life are very important, the food he eats and his environment generally. Of course, the environment is dependent on the economic status of the parents and, therefore, it may be desirable that certain changes in the social order take place. That is, rather than change the original nature of Man, why not try to change those particular cultural features which irk that orginal nature?

"Perhaps," concluded Professor Ogburn, "we should discuss plans of changing the economic order, such as are involved in such extensive programs as socialism, and the more specific schemes for dealing with particular problems. Each such program must be studied on its own merits. Much attention has indeed been devoted to these issues. There are no doubt many merits in socialism, and surely we can imagine a better economic order which would be accompanied by less injustice; but even assuming a fundamental change in the economic order to have occurred, social problems would not have disappeared, there would still be inequalities in the rate of cultural change, and many problems involving human nature would remain."

So the idea seems to be that you can't change human nature.



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Unqualifiedly Mr. Diack said: "They are getting better and better."

Mr. Diack has had the opportunity to observe a mass of young men which represents a cross section of the young manhood of the greatest city of the world. They include soldiers and sailors, college students and railroad employes, foreign-born people, colored folk and workers in industry.

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Altogether, it looks from Mr. Diack's point of view as though young men of the next generation would have a better chance than those that have gone before.

Not only are the young men interested in physical matters, but it looks as if a veritable landside of youth were coming into educational institutions. As for their definitely religious activity, even here he had figures to support his arguments. Enrolled in various Bible classes, one hundred and sixty-six in number, are 7,175 different men and boys, the total attendance for the year being 76,116.

"No special bait was held out to induce attendance at these sessions," said Mr. Diack, "no one was compelled to attend. The men came because they were interested."

It is refreshing to note in these days of down-pulling and disbelief that a man such as Mr. Diack, who has the opportunity to know, judges that religion has not declined among the youth of this day.

Scientists Differ On Heredity

Albert Edward Wiggam, specialist in biology and eugenics, in his book, "The New Decalogue of Science," pins his faith to the doctrine that acquired characteristics are not transmitted in human beings.

His theory is that human beings grow out of the "germ plasm," and this germ plasm is a permanent thing, transmitted from generation to generation at the time of conception, and not affected by the life of the parent. Therefore, he argues, the only way to change human beings is by the selection of parents. When parents have children the quality of those children and their children's children is determined, and education, training, environment have nothing to do with it. He says:

"You have risked man's earthly destiny on the fatuous notion that the 'grandfather's environment is the grandchild's heredity.' As a matter of fact, the grandfather's environment had nothing to do with the grandchild's heredity."

Mr. Wiggam's thesis has been answered in a book entitled "The Inheritance of Acquired Characteristics," by Dr. Paul Kammerer, an eminent biologist, brought from Vienna to Cambridge by British scientific societies. Dr. Kammerer says that "through experiments with several generations of normally blind newts, successively exposed to light, he has developed a race that has eyes, and the eyes reappear as a fixed characteristic in the progeny."

Dr. Kammerer points to the use of selection made by men who wish to breed perfect horses, cattle and poultry. "Why not perfect the human race in the same way?" he asks "Would any man breed perfect animals and then keep them in a filthy stable, and work them to death and feed them inadequate quantities of improper food? No."

He denies that education and environment—clean homes, decent food and sound training—play no part in perfecting the human race, and adds: "Let us not minimize the importance of heredity. Important is the task of seeing to it that both parents and offspring have the right environment to live in."

Apropos of this dispute is recalled the impromptu reply that Thomas Henry Huxley, great biologist, made to the most eloquent bishop in England. Bishop Wiberforce ridiculed the Darwinian theory of the "Origin of Species" before a brilliant Oxford University audience, and wound up by calling on Huxley, one of the audience, to reply in behalf of his friend, Charles Darwin.

Huxley answered that he did not feel competent to discuss the scientific subject of which Darwin knew more than any living man, but, speaking personally, he was not shocked by Darwin's discoveries so much as he was by the levity and ridicule of some shallow minds who knew nothing whatever of science. Huxley added this remarkable sentence:

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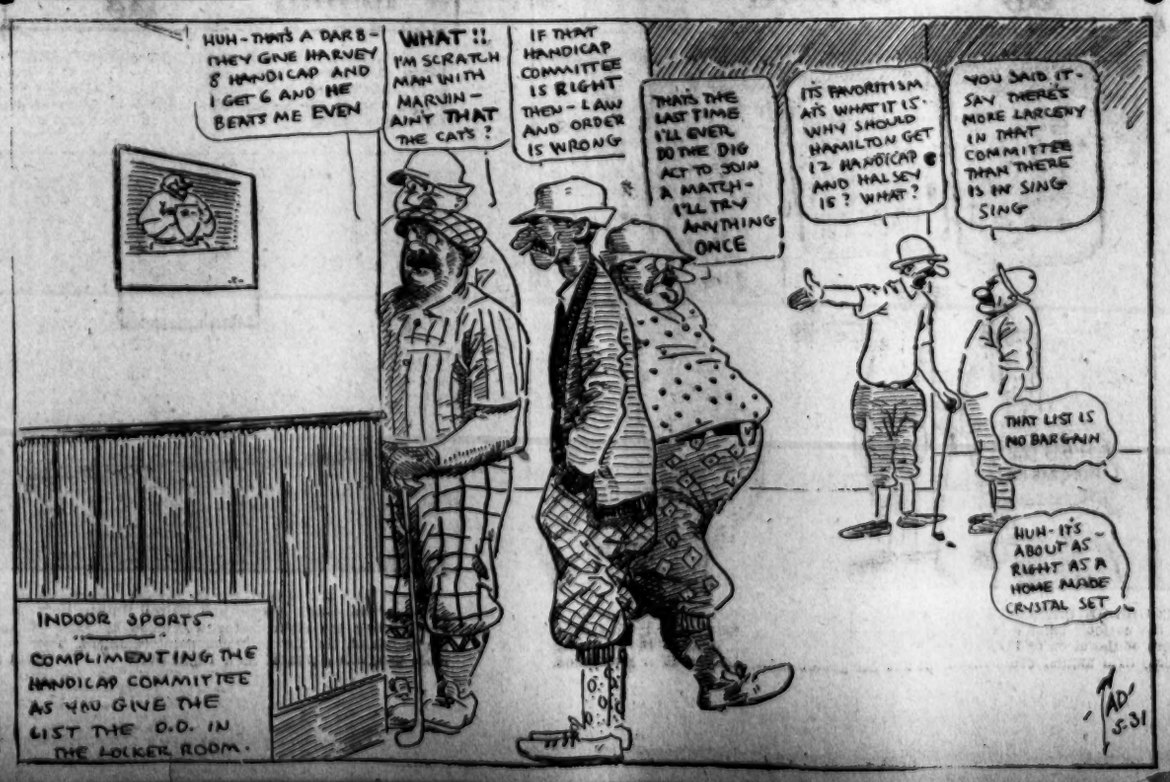
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(Int'l Newsreel)

THIS MAY LOOK LIKE SNOW, BUT IT ISN'T—In one of the most remarkable pictures ever received from the land of flowers that grow from bulbs—Holland—may be seen children playing in a heap of hyacinth blooms. Growing flowers from bulbs is one of the great industries of the Netherlands. More blooms are produced than can be used and these are gathered, piled in a heap, and their scent is absorbed by clay and later distilled into perfume. It does not hurt the blooms to be used like snow by the children. (Int'l Newsreel)

BUST OF JAMES BUCHANAN EADS, builder of bridge across Mississippi at St. Louis, has been unveiled in Hall of Fame, New York University, as gift of American Society of Civil Engineers. (Int'l Newsreel)

LOEB'S PALATIAL HOME IN MICHIGAN—Richard Loeb, nineteen-year-old college student, who is jointly charged with his chum of murdering little Robert Franks, will not be able to enjoy his parents' Summer home near Charlevoix, Mich., because he is in jail. Now see picture at right.

LOEB LAUGHS WITH COMPANIONS IN JAIL—Jazz music played by entertainers at the county jail in Chicago brought laughter to the lips of Richard Loeb, who is shown by the arrow. Instead of the liberty of a fine country estate in Michigan, with many diversions, he will have only the companionship of other criminals. (Int'l Newsreel)

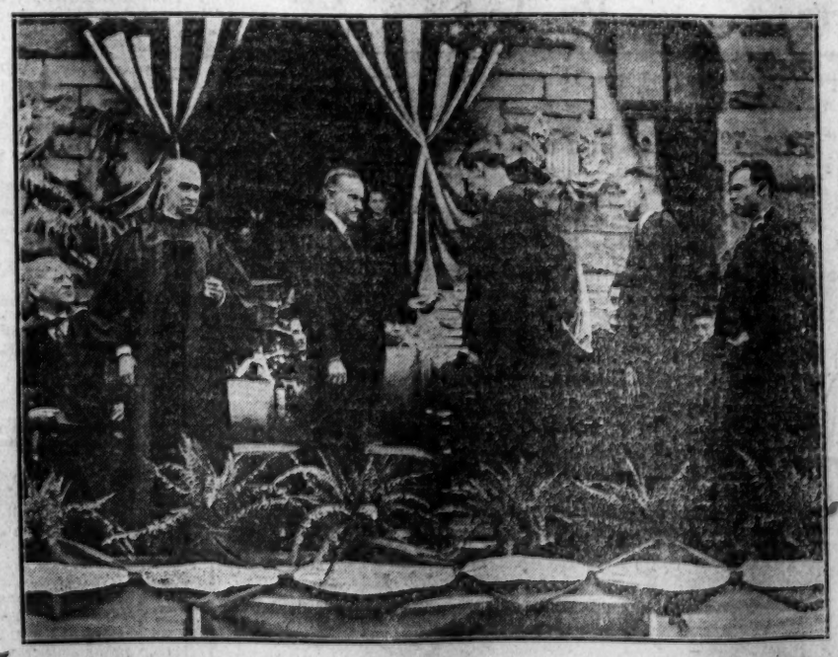
HERE COMES THE BRIDE, IN THE MONTH OF JUNE—It was a notable as well as picturesque British wedding when Air Marshal Sir John Salmond was married to the Honorable Monica Grenfeld. This picture was taken just as they left St. Margaret's Church, the small ceremonial chapel of Westminster Abbey. The guard of honor formed an arch of swords under which the bridal couple passed. Please note the London "bobby" with his helmet. (Int'l Newsreel)

IT'S ALL IN THE POINT OF VIEW—And Elmer Beck, Los Angeles swimmer, prefers to view world upside down on surf board at Coronado Beach, Cal.
(Int'l Newsreel)

COW-GIRL THRILLS CROWD IN SADDLE FEAT—Miss Opal Wood, of Del Harte, Texas, made the audience at a Brooklyn rodeo gasp when she suddenly leaned far backward and pointed her leg at the man in the moon. Her horse was going at a gallop, and some thought she would tumble off. But she didn't.

MISS MARY HILL BEARD, daughter of New York society couple, had prize winning mount in annual Tuxedo Park, N. Y., Horse Show (Int'l Newsreel)

ATTENDS SEVENTIETH CLASS REUNION—Rev. Dr. Edwin W. Rice, of Philadelphia, who is ninety-three, attended the seventieth reunion of his class at Union College, Schenectady, N. Y., and acted as grand marshal of the class-day parade.



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U. S. FLYERS GREETED IN JAPAN—Above are shown Lieuts Leigh Wade, Erick Nelson and Lowell Smith, U. S. aviators who are girdling the globe, being welcomed by Japanese on Paramushuru Island, the northernmost point of Japan. They consider the most dangerous part of their flight over. (Int'l Newsreel)

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By order,
J. M. McKEE,
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Council Chamber,
Shanghai, July 18, 1924.
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No. 1052

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L. A. LYALL,
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CUSTOM HOUSE,
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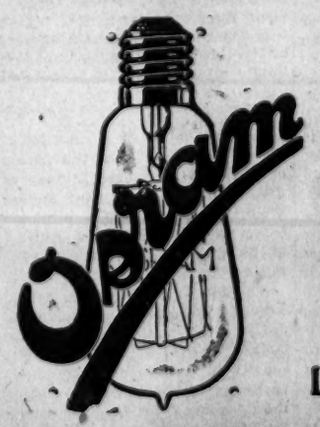

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FINANCIAL AND TRADE ARTICLE

CANTON'S UPS AND DOWNS REVIEWED BY LATE REPORT

Much Lost And Some Gained In Last Ten Years

STAPLES DECLINE

Leather And Redwood Imports From South Are Increasing

The political and commercial vicissitudes of Canton during the past decade are ably reviewed in volume II of the Decennial Reports, issued by the Chinese Maritime Customs. Says the report:

"The decade under review has been one of alternate hope and despair, action and re-action, failures and successes, the alternative effects of which have saved a very wealthy province from ruin and an industrious people from decay."

During the decade the average annual value of the junk trade, passing through the Canton customs office (including the returns from the Chanchuen substation) was Hk. Tls. 37,000,000. If from this amount the value of foodstuffs imported free of duty be deducted, there would be left a dutiable value of Hk. Tls. 18,500,000, which, on the basis stipulated in the Mackay treaty, say 5 percent on two-thirds of the dutiable value (as representing trade to and from foreign countries) and 2½ percent on the remaining third (as representing native trade with native ports), would have yielded an annual revenue of Hk. Tls. 770,000. The actual collections averaged Hk. Tls. 280,000, or little more than 1½ percent.

FREIGHT IS PLENTIFUL

Junkmasters at Canton aver that there never has been any real scarcity of freight, an assertion which may be more readily understood when bearing in mind the enormous quantities of rice and salt imported into Canton every year by junk. During the decade the average annual importation of rice has been 3 million piculs; and of salt, 1½ million piculs.

The increasing importations of cow leather and redwood are worthy of notice. Both of these commodities come from the Straits, Siam, and Indo-China. The former is imported into Canton in order to evade the 1919 import tariff duty of Hk. Tls. 2.9 per picul leviable at Shanghai upon cow leather from abroad. The modus operandi is to ship the leather on board a junk at Hongkong; import it at Canton through the native customs, where an import duty of Hk. Tls. 0.42 is paid; then export it by steamer to Shanghai, as native produce, paying Hk. Tls. 0.42 at Canton and Hk. Tls. 0.21 at Shanghai, transhipment charges and junk freight more than offsetting the foreign tariff levy. The heavy redwood importations are accounted for by the growing popularity of the so-called blackwood furniture.

Many of the principal staples of export showed a falling off during the past ten years. Pigs' bristles have not figured in the customs returns importantly since 1918, previous to which year it was no uncommon event for 5,000 piculs to be exported in one year. The bristles used to go to Canton from Szechuen Province by the overland route as barter for Cantonese products. At Chanchuen they were cleaned and sorted and then exported abroad. Tea has fallen from 18,000 piculs in 1912 to 376 piculs in 1921, and fire-crackers from 17,000 to 1,000 piculs. Both of these commodities appear to have abandoned junk transport in favor of steamers.

CHANCHUEN REVIVES

The gloomy forecasts made during the latter part of the decade with reference to the gradual but certain decay of Chanchuen as a trade center, received a rude shock during 1921, when the value of the native customs trade there jumped to 6½ million taels after having gradually fallen to 3½ millions. Chanchuen is situated southwest of Canton, just within the 50-li radius.

The boycott of Japanese goods, which was in force spasmodically during the latter half of the decade, provided the needed incentive to Chinese to start manufacturing many articles to replace the Japanese product, with the result that there are now in the vicinity of Canton at least thirty match factories and scores of other petty industries doing a thriving business.

Commercial News

Our London Business Letter

Business Remains Quiet Owing To Foreign Exchange Fluctuations; Strained Position With America Causes Weakness In Japan Bonds; Need For Large Cotton Crop Explained; Comments On Oil Situation

(By Our Own Correspondent)

London, June 12.—Political events on the Continent and the intervention of the Whitsuntide holiday have combined to restrict business on the Stock Exchange and to encourage a cautious attitude on the part of investors. The French political crisis causes a good deal of uncertainty but the effect is perhaps most marked in the foreign exchange market. Movements in the leading foreign exchanges continue erratic and the future of the franc is very uncertain. At the present time, however, the franc shoows improvement at 81.20 to the £. Somewhat unexpectedly there has been a reduction in the New York Federal Reserve Bank rate from 4 to 3½ percent but it has had little effect upon sterling, which now stands at 4.31¼ dollars to the £.

Speaking generally, stock markets are quite and with possibly the notable exceptions of Home Rails, Kaffirs and a few Industrials, the tendency has been for prices to weaken. The end of the past account showed that something in the nature of a bear account exists in some of the markets. There is little doubt that any sudden demand for stock would soon find the markets in short supply.

ANOTHER INDIAN LOAN LIKELY

Partly due to the holidays, the recent rush of new capital issues has been stemmed, but it is extremely likely that the activity will shortly be resumed. It is estimated that new issues for approximately £30,000,000 are under consideration for early flotation. It is fairly safe to assume that the firm appearance of Government and other high-class investment securities is a reflection of the re-investment of Government dividends, some £50,000,000 of which were released at the beginning of the month. Money which normally would be employed in other directions invariably finds its way back to the Stock Exchange for investment. Talk of another India Loan has been revived but we are still without details of the forthcoming Hungarian issue.

MORE LABOR TROUBLES

There is still no settlement of the "unofficial" strike of railway shopmen but drastic action is being taken by the companies. For example, the Great Western Railway has issued an ultimatum to the strikers in the following terms: "It is now one week since you struck work at the instigation of a Committee styling itself "The London Electric Railways and Great Western Railway Joint Committee." You left work without notice, and it cannot even be urged in mitigation of your act that you were called out by a Trade Union. You have rendered yourself liable to legal proceedings for breach of contract for having left the service without notice, but the Company have decided not to take action against you provided you return to work not later than Monday, June 16." Now, however, a more favorable view is being taken, and on that account Home Railway prices show a tendency to harden. An additional factor is the good prospects of increased traffics later in the year.

JAPANESE RELATIONS WITH U. S.

Owing to the erratic course of the exchanges, the foreign bond market is unsettled, especially French Government Bonds. Going farther afield, reports of the serious state of affairs in China have caused some decline in the leading issues. Attention is being drawn to the unfortunate position of bona-fide holders of the Russian issued portion of the Chinese 1913 Loan, which the Chinese Government refuses to recognise. Apart from those issues directly affected by the dollar exchange, Japanese Bonds are dull, but it is pointed out that despite the economic effect of the recent earthquake, the latest return of the Bank of Japan shows that the note circulation, which rose very rapidly after the earthquake, has now gone back to pre-earthquake proportions. Rather marked weakness was displayed by Japanese Bonds yesterday on the somewhat strained position which has arisen between that country and the United States owing to the action of the latter in prohibiting immigration. Mexican issues continue to display uneasiness due to fears regarding the next payment of interest—these payments, it will be recalled, were only recently resumed. The latest decline in the value of the milreis has had much to do with the present unfavorable tendency of Brazilian Bonds. Then, of course, the report of the British Financial Mission is eagerly awaited.

ARGENTINE DIVIDEND PROSPECTS

In view of the fact that the financial year of most of the Argentine Railways ends with this month, the market is already discussing prospects. Though the final dividend announcements are not due until the end of September, it is fairly safe to assume that the principal lines have enjoyed considerable prosperity, and on that account stockholders may be prepared to sit tight and "wait and see." It is pointed out, however, that although traffic receipts have been steadily increasing, more attention is likely to be paid to the course of the Buenos Ayres dollar. Regarding B. A. Westerns, it will be remembered that the interim dividend was reduced by 1 percent to 2 percent and at that time the reduction gave rise to the possibilities of a more serious cut in the final distribution. These doubts have now been dispelled and it is confidently anticipated that the total distribution for the year will be at least 6 percent against 7 percent for the preceding twelve months. As the dividend season approaches, renewed activity in this market is expected.

INDUSTRIALS STILL QUIET

Little or no change is shown in trading conditions in the industrial section and the number of new issues made in this section is rather surprising. We commented recently upon the preference issue made by Beecham Estates and Pills and since then we have had the preference issue of Lever Brothers and the 250,000 preference and 150,000 ordinary in the British Goodrich Rubber Company. The last named preference are being dealt in at about 1s. 6d. discount. Shipping shares do not appear very active although it is stated on good authority that the lean times in the shipbuilding industry are steadily passing away. Only a few days ago, Sir Alan Anderson, President of the Chamber of Shipping, said distinctly that there were signs that in a short time the tide would turn in the shipbuilding industry. We quote this because so much depends upon the state of this industry. The iron and steel trade has been very quiet but this week improving conditions and better inquiries are reported. The outlook for electric lighting shares is also very bright. While reports and dividend announcements continue so favorable as at the present time, there is little likelihood of interest in tea shares waning. We have persistently expressed confidence in the future of this industry and there is no doubt that prospects are very hopeful.

OLD DEVELOPMENTS

After such a long period of inactivity, it was comforting to read the cautious but very correct views on the oil industry as expressed by Sir John Cargill at the annual meeting of the Burmah Company held a day or two ago. Speaking of the Burmah Company, he said: "As to the current year, there is every reason to anticipate that our results will be certainly not inferior to those now before you. Our crude oil production and refinery throughout have been well maintained to date. While our kerosene prices will not be advanced, we see no immediate reason why they should decline. Petrol, too—even making allowances—is a stronger market than existed during 1923." Curiously enough, Attacks were not affected by Sir John's reference to the working agreement entered into between the two companies. Concerning the Lobitos dividend market, optimism was fully justified, for, in addition to the final dividend of 5s., there is a bonus of 8s., both tax-free, making with the interim, 15s. or 75 percent tax-free, for year, against 50 percent for 1922. British controlled issues continue to display considerable activity—it is understood that a sale of a Peruvian asset has been effected. Although there has been no lack of interesting announcements recently, oil shares have not readily responded, movements being rather held in check by adverse Continental influences. The Shell and Royal Dutch dividends were in accordance with market expectations.

KAFFIR HOPES AND FEARS

During the last few days, South African gold mining shares have claimed more attention than any other in the Stock Exchange. The Rand gold output of 809,000 ounces for the month of May constituted a record despite the fact that there was a slight falling off in the supply of native labor. The possibilities of the Rand are great and there is increasing evidence of the broadening of public interest. The May profits leave little doubt that the industry's current half-year will compare very favorably with the corresponding half of 1923. Rhodesians are temporarily out of favor.

COTTON AND THE MONSOON

Writing on the cotton position, Messrs. Hornby Hemelryk and Company, Liverpool, -Manchester and 21, Mincing-lane, E. C., state that in Manchester some good orders were booked for India just before the holidays, and much now will depend on the progress of the monsoon. On June 6, our Bombay friends reported the monsoon on the Malabar coast, but added that there was no sign of it so far in the cotton area. The firmness of silver is expected to be helpful to the China trade. The distribution for the week compares rather unfavorably with last year, the figures being 131,000 bales, against 178,000. Rumor has it that the prospective carry-over has been underestimated by some 200,000 bales. It is stated, moreover, that Germany, in consequence of the monetary stringency prevailing in that country, has been reselling cotton purchases, both here and in America.

LARGE CROP NEEDED

As regards the probable course of prices, the chief factor will continue to be the weather conditions in the cotton belt. After a series of small crops, leaving supplies of raw material at the lowest ebb, and stocks of cotton goods much reduced through long-enforced economy, a large yield is most urgently needed, and any improvement in weather naturally raises hopes in this direction. Still, one may become oversanguine. It should not be forgotten that the crop is late practically throughout the belt, and that this delay, if not recovered, will prove a real danger at the time of insect activity. In any case, from the point of view of price alone, new crop deliveries about 14d. cannot be considered dear; this is only about twice pre-war value, and, so to speak, simply represents approximately the general increase in cost of living since the pre-war years.

BURMA RICE MARKET FIRM

Quiet conditions prevail in the Burma rice market and business with Japan has been reduced to smaller dimensions. According to cables from Rangoon, private firms consider the Government estimate a little below the mark, and put the surplus at 50,000 tons more, making 2,000,000 tons, but this increase is not accepted by the Government, who stand firmly by their figure of 1,950,000 tons. In the circumstances, it will therefore be as well to accept the Government figure still as a basis for calculations. Markets are experiencing once more a period of reaction after a rather violent spurt. The situation may continue dull for a little, but the crop figures appear to point to a recurrence of the recent firm situation in Burma at no distant date. The market is distinctly sensitive and will probably respond as quickly as before to any sudden increase on the present demand.

POINTS

Sir Arthur Balfour, K.B.E., ex-president of the Associated Chambers of Commerce has been elected to a seat on the board of the National Provincial Bank, Ltd.

The Right Hon. William Watson, K.C., has rejoined the Board of the Scottish Life Assurance Company, in succession to the late Sir John M. Clark, Bart.

The death is announced of the Rt. Hon. Viscount Pirrie, K.P., P.C., who was chairman of Harland and Wolff, Limited, vice-chairman of the Union Castle Mail Steamship Company, Limited, a director of Frederick Leyland and Company, Ltd., the Midland Bank, Ltd., the Southern Railway Company, and many other companies.

It is announced that Mr. F. Hope Simpson has been appointed a manager of the Equitable Trust Company of New York, London office. Mr. F. Hope Simpson was formerly assistant manager of Brown Shipley and Company, manager of the British Overseas Bank 1920-22, manager of the London and Eastern Trade Bank, 1923 to date, and is a brother of Sir James Hope Simpson, Director and late General Manager of the Bank of Liverpool and Martins.

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Yesterday's Closing Quotations

Stock	Closing Quotations
Banks	
H. & S. Banks	H.$1,170 B.
Chartered	£19¾ B.
Russio-Asiatic	Nom
Mercantile Bk. A-B	£2¾ B.
Mercantile Bank C.	£1¾ B.
P. & O. Banking	£1½ B.
Bank of East Asia	H.$95 B.
Marine Insurance	
Canton	H.$675
North China	Tls. 138
Union of Canton	H.$225 B.
Yangtsze	H.$28 ¾
Far Eastern Ins.	Tls. 22
Fire Insurance	
China Fire	H.$150 B.
Hongkong Fire	H.$575 B.
Shipping	
Indo-China Def.	H.$110 B.
Indo-China Perf.	H.$38 B.
"Shell"	78/9 x.d.
S'hai Tug ord.	Tls. 85
S'hai Tug Pref.	Tls. 51¼
H.C.&M.S.B.Co.Ltd.	H.$37½ B.
Star Ferry	H.$97 S.
Douglas S.S. Co.	H.$57 S.
Union Waterboat	H.$18¼ S.
Mining	
Kaiping	Tls. 21 B.
Oriental Cons.	12/6
Raub	H.$5 S.
Docks	
Hongkong Dock	H.$150 B.
Shanghai Dock	Tls. 100 B.
New Eng. Works	Tls. 6½ B.
Pref.	Tls. 5¼
Wharves	
Shanghai Wharf	Tls. 156 B.
Hongkong Wharf	H.$197½ S.
China Realty ord.	Tls. 50
China Realty Pref.	Tls. 50
A.-French Land	Tls. 119 B.
Shanghai Land	Tls. 118 B.
Hongkong Lands	H.$115 B.
Humphreys Estate	H.$24 S.
Carlton Ltd.	Tls. 50
H. & S. Hotel old	H.$17½ B.
H. & S. Hotel new	H.$17 B.
Prince Building Co.	H.$150 B.
Cotton Mills	
E-wo (pref)	Tls. 11
E-wo (ord.)	Tls. 105
Laou-kung-mow	Tls. 8
Oriental	Tls. 3.45
S'hai Cotton Old	Tls. 57½
S'hai Cotton New	Tls. 36
Industrials	
Butler Tiles	Tls. 25
China Sugar	H.$270 B.
Green Island New	H.$6¾ B.
Green Island Old	H.$22¼ S.
Langkats (Comb.)	Tls. 17 B.
Langkats (Single)	Tls. 6¼ B.
Loans	Tls. 5¼ S.
Explorations	Tls. 9
Major Brog.	Tls. 5
S'hai Sumatra	Tls. 106
Stores	
Hall and Holts	$5½ S.
Llewelyn	Tls. 35
Lane Crawford	Tls. 100 B.
Moutrie	$55 B.
Watson	H.$28
Weeks	$8
Rubbers (local)	
Alma	Tls. 4¾ B.
Amherst	Tls. 0.10
Anglo-Java	Tls. 5.05 B.
Anglo-Dutch	Tls. 2.10 B.
Ayer Tawah	Tls. 21
Batu Anam 1918	Tls. 0.70
Bute	Tls. 0.45 B.
Bukit Toh Alang	Tls. 0.85 B.
Chemor United	Tls. 0.80 B.
Chempedak	Tls. 4½
Cheng	Tls. 1
Consolidated	Tls. 1.85 B.
Dominion	Tls. 1¼
Gula Kalumpong	Tls. 8½ B.
Java Consolidated	Tls. 8½
Kali Glideks	Tls. 5½ B.
Kapayang	Tls. 9.40
Karan	Tls. 8½ B.
Kedah	Tls. 0.85
Kota Bahroe	Tls. 0.50 B.
Kroewoek Java	Tls. 9. B.
Padang	Tls. 3¾ B.
Pangkahlan Durian	Tls. 1.05
Permata	Tls. 1½ B.
Repah	Tls. 0.80 B.
Samagagas	Tls. 0.52½ B.
Seekees	Tls. 0.85
Semambu	Tls. 0.85 B.
Senawang	Tls. 0.75
S'hai Klebang	Tls. 0.30 B.
Shanghai Malay	Tls. 3
S'hai Malay pref.	Tls. 9
Shanghai Pahang	Tls. 0.75
Sungala	Tls. 0.60 B.
Sungei Duri	Tls. 7 B.
Sua Mangis	Tls. 2.65
S'hai Seramban	Tls. 0.30
Taiping	Tls. 0.50 B.
Tanah Merah	Tls. 0.50 B.
Tebong	Tls. 0.82½ B.
Ziangbes	Tls. 2½
Miscellaneous	
C.I.&E.Lumber	Tls. 325
Guilty Dairy	Tls. 10 B.
Shanghai Trams	Tls. 17
Shanghai Gas	Tls. 41 B.
Horse Bazaar	Tls. 50 B.
S'hai Mercury	Tls. 20 B.
S'hai Telephones	Tls. 74¼ B.
S'hai Waterwork	Tls. 151 B.
China Prov. Old	H.$15¾ B
China Prov. New	H.$5 S.
H'kong Electrics	H.$37¼ B.
H'kong Tramways	H.$42¾ B.
Dairy Farm	H.$27 S.
H'kong Ropes. Old	H.$20
H'kong Ropes. New	H.$7
China Lights Old	H.$15¾ B.
China Lights New	H.$9½ B.
Peak T'ways Old	H.$18¾ B.
Peak T'ways New	H.$4½ B.

B. Sellers, Sa. Sales, B. Buyers

Money-Exchange

Shanghai, July 24, 1924

Bank's Demand Selling Rate for £1 at 3/5/16 = Tls. 6.14 at 7050 $8.71

G.$100 at 71⅝ = Tls. 139.37 7050 = $197.69

Mex. Dollars market rate 70.75
Native Interest 13
Copper Cash 274,000
Shanghai Gold Bar 279.20
Bar Silver 34 5/16
Bank rate of Discount 4%
Paris on London 85.28
New York on London 440
London:
Telegraphic Transfer .. 3/3
Demand 3/3 1/16
New York:
Telegraphic Transfer ... 71½
Demand 71⅝

American-Oriental Bank

Closing Rates

Selling Demand Draft

U.S. G.$100.00 = S'hai $197.41
Stg. 1.0.0 = S'hai $8.69
Fcs. 100.00 = S'hai $10.19
Yen. 100.00 = S'hai $81.80

Buying Demand Draft

U.S. G.$100.00 = S'hai $193.00
Stg. 1.0.0 = S'hai $8.50
Fcs. 100.00 = S'hai $9.85
Yen. 100.00 = S'hai $79.93

Italian Bank For China

Bank's Selling Rates for:
It. Lire 15.50 = 1 Tael
Swiss Frs. 3.91 = 1 Tael
It. Lire 9.40 = 1 Yen

International Banking Corporation

Closing Counter Rates

Demand selling on America 71⅝
Demand buying on America 72⅛
Demand selling on London 3/3¼
Demand buying on London 3/4 1/16

Chinese Government Bonds
(Supplied by Sing Tung & Co.)

	Wednesday.	Yesterday's.
3rd Year 6%	97.00	97.00
5th Year 7%	81.90	82.70
7th Year 6%	72.80	73.00
9th Year 6%	91.20	91.50
6% Consolidated	81.40	82.10
7% Consolidated	84.20	84.20
11th Year 8%	99.00	99.00
96 Millions 8%	37.05	37.10

Russo-Asiatic Bank

Bank's Selling Rates
1 Chervonetz = G.$5.30

Stock Exchange

Transactions
TODAY'S QUOTATIONS
Shanghai, July 24, 1924

OFFICIAL

Chinese Reorg. Loan (British Issue) £72
S'hai Waterworks 7% Debs 1921 Tls. 104.00
S.M.C. 6% Debs 1923 Tls. 96.00
Chinese Eng. & Mining "B" Tls. 21.00

UNOFFICIAL

Almas Tls. 5.00

Shanghai Sharebrokers' Association

Business Done
Shanghai, July 24, 1924
UNOFFICIAL

Anglo Javas Tls. 5.10

Exchange Market

Messrs. Maitland, Fearon and Brand state in their exchange circular for the week ending July 23:

The price of silver in London has declined during the week to 34 7/16d. spot and 34 7/16d. forward, a drop of 1/16d. and ¼d. respectively. The price in New York after slight variations closes slightly higher at 67⅜c. The official T.T. rate on London has declined to 3s. 3d. and is steady as this level. Business continues on a very small scale, and what little is doing is mainly of a speculative nature. The New York—London rate during the week has improved from 436⅝ to 441½. Owing to an abundance of cash, forward rates locally are about ⅛d. per month above the near quotation and we quote 3s. 3 1/16d. July, 3s. 3 1/16d. August, and 3s. 3 5/16d. October-December.

Our stocks of silver are reported as follows:

Sycee and bar silver Tls. 44,179,000, an increase of Tls. 772,000.

Chinese and Mexican dollars $50,120,000, an increase of $1,200,000.

Silver yen, Yen. 800,000.

Estimated value Tls. 80,324,000 as against Tls. 49,518,000 held at this time last year.

Rubber Auctions

Messrs. J. A. Wattie and Co. have received the following telegram dated 23rd inst., from their Singapore Agents:

Average prices:
Sheet 41¼ cents.
Crepe 41¼ cents.
Catalogued 609 tons.
Sold 277 tons.
Market steady.
London quotation 11 1/16d.
Market steady.

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Hankow Trade

The British Chamber of Commerce, Hankow, states in its weekly circular of trade statistics dated July 16:—

Bar silver 34 9-16 ready 34⅝ forward showed slight change durinr the week closing on 16th inst. at 34⅝ ready & 34.11-16 forward at which price it remains steady. New York-London cross rate opened at 434 touched 438½ on 15th and at the close of the week stood at 436¾ with a slight upward tendency. T.T. opening at 3-4 rose to 3-4¼ on 12th inst. at which, it remained steady closing at that rate. 4-m credits opening at 3-5.5-16 were done at 3-5¼ July with forward rates 1-16th up per month to end of the year and closed at 3-5¼ for July with firmer forward rates. Chinese market rates: Shanghai Tls. 97.-325. Local currency $68.712. Native interest 10%.

EXPORTS

A good business in broad beans was reported to have been done and tael values have risen. There is a strong demand from Europe for this article which caused some excitement here and sellers have withdrawn from the market temporarily. Some purchases of wood oil were also advised at prices much above the level of home values. The strong position of the local market is doubtless due to the difficulties of shipment from Wanhsien and "shorts" covering in from spot to fulfil engagements for this month's shipment. Small purchases of gallnuts were made.

IMPORTS

Piece Goods: Market dull and nothing of interest to report.

Yarn: Market weak and prices showing a downward tendency.

Hongkong Stocks

Messrs. Ellis & Co. yesterday received the following quotations by cable from Hongkong:

Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corpn. $1,185 buyers.
Hongkong Land Investment Co. $115 buyers.
Union Insurance Society of Canton $224 buyers.
Hongkong & Kowloon Wharves $198 buyers.
Hongkong & Whampoa Dock Co. $150 buyers.
Green Island Cement Co. (old) $21¾ buyers.
Green Island Cement Co. (new) $5.80 buyers.
Hongkong & Shanghai Hotels (old) $17½ buyers.
Hongkong & Shanghai Hotels (new) $17 buyers.
China Sugar Refinery Co. $270 buyers.
Hongkong Fire Insurance Co. $575 buyers.
Hongkong Tramway Co. $42 buyers.

Russo-Asiatic Bank

	Roubles.
Capital (fully-paid)	55,000,000
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Reserve Fund	1,750,000

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The Arms Smuggling Peril

THE significant remarks contained in the special report by the Acting Commissioner of Police which appeared in yesterday's issue of the Municipal Gazette, relative to the growing menace of armed robbers in the International Settlements of Shanghai, reveal a grave condition of affairs the seriousness of which cannot be overestimated. As Major Hilton-Johnson aptly declares, an armed robber is the combination of a lawless man and a pistol. Lawless men are turned out in large quantities at the public expense as so-called soldiers all over the country. Disbanded in this neighborhood (as some thousands recently have been) they naturally drift to Shanghai. No authority can prevent them from doing so. Pistols reach Shanghai, also in large quantities, in foreign ships from foreign countries. Under the complex scheme of local administration, these weapons can be landed and distributed without much difficulty. Considerable seizures of arms and ammunition are often made on board ships in harbor by the Customs authorities. Smaller captures are not infrequently made in the Settlement by the Municipal Police. But as the Municipal Police do not function either on the river or on any of the private wharves, they can actually themselves do very little to stop the entry of weapons into the Settlement from the direction whence most of them come. The Municipal Police, therefore, have to accept the existence of armed desperadoes in the immediate vicinity of their jurisdiction as a ready-made and unpreventable condition of affairs: that is, they are in the unsatisfactory position of having to deal with the advanced stages of a malady which ought to be checked at its source. The measures used include searches, raids, round-ups, domiciliary visits and so on. Pursued unremittingly, as they are, these activities are bound to bring the police into conflict with those against whom they specially operate, as the Municipal Police know to their cost. When this happens—and such occasions are becoming ominously frequent—firearms are used on both sides and members of the public are quite likely to get shot. This is a risk inseparable from the presence of armed criminals—which, in itself, be it noted, is dependent chiefly on the influx of weapons smuggled by foreigners in foreign ships from foreign countries.

The situation revealed by the Acting Commissioner of Police is, in all conscience, intolerable. Why should the Municipal Police continue to labor under an unfair handicap, which probably no other police force in the world is called upon to endure? And why should the foreign community of Shanghai be exposed to the peril of sudden death in the pursuit of their ordinary avocations merely because the officials of some foreign countries do not choose to make the punishment fit the crime in the case of arms smugglers caught red-handed while engaged in their nefarious operations? These men—if they can be called such—who deliberately sell firearms to Chinese dealers for commercial gain must be well aware that the transaction ultimately must spell the death of some foreign man, woman or child. From a moral standpoint, they are not less guilty than armed robbers who actually commit the crimes; in a sense, they are more so since the crimes would be impossible of commission were it not for the sale of arms and ammunition. Evidence shows the illicit arms traffic in Shanghai to be a thriving business conducted on a large scale. That so many foreigners engage in it is chiefly owing, no doubt, to the insignificant penalties involved in case of detection. In one Consular Court the maximum penalty is three months' imprisonment. In another it appears to be 29 days. In another, an arms runner recently caught in the act of selling arms to a Chinese was let off scot free on purely domestic grounds. In face of sentences of this kind it is not surprising that so many foreigners engage in a trade from which large profits are obtainable. But until (among other things) the punishments inflicted on foreign arms smugglers are made really deterrent, shooting affrays will continue to occur in the streets and the lives and limbs of the public will continue to be endangered, notwithstanding the very thorough training which policemen undergo in the handling and use of their weapons and the constant efforts made to impress on them that even when engaged in conflict with armed criminals the safety of the public is a prime consideration.

We suggest that the time has come for the foreign community in Shanghai to take some tangible action in a matter of vital concern to them. The various foreign Chambers of Commerce, with the collaboration of the Chinese Chamber of Commerce and the different foreign national societies, might well consider the advisability of convening a mass meeting of foreigners and Chinese at which a resolution could be passed, phrased in unambiguous terms, for transmission to the Diplomatic Body in Peking directing attention to the grave menace prevailing in the foreign Settlements of Shanghai and urging the necessity of uniformity of action by the foreign consular representatives in Shanghai in dealing with arms smugglers. The matter could be brought to the notice of the European Governments concerned, if need be. If the laws of some foreign countries are inadequate when it comes to dealing with the most dangerous class of criminals, they should be amended, at least in so far as they apply to the Far East in the case of arms smuggling. The fact that the nationals of some countries should be able to get off with comparatively lenient punishment although they are instrumental in causing the deaths of innocent persons is a standing reproach to these Settlements. A long term of imprisonment and subsequent deportation is the only logical punishment for these ghoulish individuals who achieve their material prosperity over the graves of innocent people. It rests with the foreign community of Shanghai to make its voice heard in no uncertain manner. Continued apathy will aggravate rather than diminish the evil that is rearing its ugly head higher and higher in our midst. Unless something is done—and done quickly—the time may come when it will be a pure gamble for foreigners to venture out into the main streets of the International Settlement. Surely we do not want that to happen.

"U. S. Pacifism Responsible For China's Ills"

DR. ROBERT FITCH, President of the Hangchow Christian College, who is now in America, made a speech before the "Institution for a Christian Basis for World Relations" which was held during June at Vassar College in which he stated that "America's pathetic pacifism as manifested in the Far Eastern policy had been responsible for most of China's ills during the last quarter of a century." Continuing along this line Dr. Fitch was quoted as saying:

"Pathetic pacifism of the United States was responsible for the Russo-Japanese War and it is now responsible for the demoralisation of China. The fundamental of international relations should be based upon justice and the enforcement of contract. Exalting peace above justice is a most frequent and certain cause of war. Though the United States was a signatory of the first Hague Treaty it did nothing to prevent the Russian march into Manchuria, and Japan was forced into a war of self-defense. The United States was one of the five signatory nations in a treaty for commercial development of China signed at the end of the administration of President Taft. The economic relations entered into by the United States under the treaty were severed by President Wilson against the wishes of America's associates, and, as a result, when the great war came, China was thrown into the lap of Japan as a prey for economic exploitation."

These remarks by Dr. Fitch, who has resided in China for most of his life, are timely and to the point now that American policy toward this part of the world is receiving rather searching attention in connection with the present national political campaign in progress in the United States. Senator Lodge, veteran chairman of the Senate Foreign Relations Committee, fired one of the opening guns in the campaign by contributing an article to *Foreign Affairs*, the quarterly review published in New York, in which he defended the foreign policies of the Harding-Coolidge Administration by stating, in part:

"In the Far East, in China, and the Pacific Islands results of great practical importance have been achieved —we have had no international agreement which has accomplished as much for the peace of the world as the work of the Conference which met at Washington, although it applies only to the Far East and to the islands of the Pacific."

Senator Lodge devoted several pages to his consideration of American policy toward the Far East and pointed especially to the various treaties pertaining to China which "arranged for a new tariff for China;—an agreement among the signatory powers to recognise China's political and territorial integrity and was otherwise devoted to the maintenance of the open door and the prevention of the acquisition of special rights by any of the signers —a number of resolutions which will be very beneficial to the liberation of China and the establishment there of a strong and generally recognised free government."

The above remarks by Senator Lodge are most interesting, but he failed to refer anywhere in his article to the failure of one of the Powers, France, to ratify any of the China treaties though her delegates signed them more than two years ago. As a result of the non-ratification of the China treaties by France, they have no more effect than a contract which has not been properly countersigned. Commenting on this point, another writer on Far Eastern affairs, makes the significant comment that:

"The immediate problem of the American Government in the Far East is to make the Washington treaties effective. In this, that division of the treaties which comes under the heading of self-denying ordinances of the Powers is of no help constructively. Constructive possibilities of the treaties lie in the agreements and resolution concerning China, which can be described as parts of a process of restoring administrative autonomy and territorial integrity to China—If there is a practical way to accelerate the process of putting the Washington treaties into effect—it is by helping China to straighten out her fiscal affairs and making possible the safe introduction of foreign capital to aid in development. . . . It may become necessary for the American Government, as the protagonist of the Washington treaties, to invite the signatory Powers to a new conference that will discuss the application of constructive measures to China."

Referring back to Dr. Fitch's statement that America's "pathetic" pacifism had been responsible in considerable measure for the present demoralisation of China, we have still another pertinent comment on this point by still another observer of Far Eastern conditions, Mr. William Howard Gardiner, a well-known writer and authority on political conditions in the Far East, who says:

"Our record in the Far East has had two phases. At first we supported equity with force whenever there was need for the latter and until about 1860. By so doing we bettered our own interests and general conditions in that part of the world. But since then we have merely dallied with the Far Eastern situation, seeming to be satisfied by the consistency of advocating the same paper program—from which, as a rule, we withheld the support essential to its realisation.

"The three (the Four-Power and China) treaties, taken together, seem to be in accordance with our traditional procedure in the Far East during the last sixty years; namely, to make political paper gestures there which we leave to 'moral force' to support, although armed force has ever been the dominant factor and essential sanction in the Far East, and although the recent record of realities in the Far East has shown a marked recession of equitable policies before the advance of forceful practices."

Our Literary Column

EXCERPTS FROM GREAT WRITERS

By Mathy

ART AND DEMOCRACY

When you say "art," most people think of museums, picture galleries and old masters.

It is quite the thing for gentlemen burdened with wealth to collect expensive and curious bric-a-brac and, upon the occasion of their death, to leave it to the city, to be known as the Smith-Jones collection.

What good is it? Who goes to museums? A very small portion of the people. The effect of the "art-gallery" upon the community is something, but the whole idea is a very poor grasping at the real function of art in democracy.

If benevolently inclined folk want to increase the ministry of the beautiful, let them improve the appearance of the houses of the citizens, the furniture in them and the grounds around them.

Particularly let them make beautiful the habitations of the poor.

A hundred-thousand-dollar picture from Europe is not in any way so valuable artistically as ten thousand dollars' worth of trees would be, or twenty-thousand dollars invested in changing slum tenements into comely and home-like dwellings.

Art for the exclusive set only, whether that set is millionaires or alleged high-brows, is as bad as anything else that is exclusive. Unless art can get to the common people it is a superfluity.

In Minnesota, the director of the State Art Commission, Maurice Irwin Flagg, has been doing some sensible and real art promotion. He supplies farmers and dwellers in small villages gratis with models for attractive homes and landscape designs.

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When we do away with the ugly "shoe-box" farmhouse, with its abominable barn, and substitute something picturesque in their place; when we transform the village from a collection of huge dry-goods packing-cases set in rows, dull and dreary and stupid in appearance, into a lovely garden, trees and flowers, with houses of charming and individual attractiveness; when we get some sort of artistic unity in our city building; then we shall be entitled to be called lovers of beauty.

Other States are following California, Kentucky, Texas, and Indiana are formulating programs similar to that of Minnesota. Germany, Italy, France, and Canada have published the Minnesota plans.

Says Mr. Flagg:

"This better-housing program is supplementary to the other work of the commission. It circulates exhibits of industrial art, sculpture, home furnishings, home industries, and school art. It organizes home industries and handicraft classes and puts into the field specialists to teach such work. And it has been successful in finding a market for its product."

Something To Think About

By Bruno Lessing

PROHIBITION AND PROHIBITIONISTS

More than fifty bills have been introduced in Congress to modify the present Prohibition law. At a hearing before the Congressional Committee in charge of these bills, Wayne B. Wheeler, of the Anti-Saloon League, said that the appeal of anti-prohibitionists is based upon "appetite," and added:

"Americans will not swap the Constitution for a mug of beer."

Mr. Wheeler is wrong. An American who really wants a glass of beer will swap his hope of salvation for it. Just as any boy or girl, in love, will swap anything that you could mention to them, for a kiss. You simply have to realize how strong a "want" can be.

This article is not written for or against prohibition. Its purpose is merely to call to people's attention —in order that they may think for themselves—the injury which prohibitionists do to their cause by wild and unfounded statements.

By dragging in the word "appetite," Mr. Wheeler shows malice toward those who do not agree with his views. In all the arguments and disputes between prohibition organisations and their employes on the one hand and those who are opposed to prohibition on the other, it really looks as if the former were more intense and intemperate in their claims than the latter.

There are, unquestionably, millions of Americans who are opposed to the saloon and who never laid eyes on a brewer or a distiller, yet who are opposed to prohibition. The prohibitionists, who, like Mr. Wheeler, get into public print, invariably brand such people as "tools of the liquor interests" and people who "want the rotten saloon restored."

That is intemperate language. It betrays acrimony and harsh feeling. Alcohol may be the greatest enemy of mankind. And yet there are people who do not want the saloon restored and who have no interest in liquor manufacturers or dealers, but who want prohibition abolished.

Appetite is a healthy manifestation of nature. When the appetite is strong enough no structure of human ingenuity can withstand it. Add an amendment to the Constitution that prohibits the eating of porterhouse steak, or of kissing or of playing baseball. Then, during the conflict between the Constitution and appetite, go out and bet all your money on appetite.

An appetite, however, may not be natural. It may be vicious. But, on the other hand, it may also be normal and sane and beneficial.

Nothing is gained by slinging invectives at the people to whom you are opposed.

Drinking beer and wine is one thing. Drinking whiskey and gin is another thing. BUT, prohibition —which means Government rule over, and restraining of a personal desire, is a totally different thing.

If the prohibitionists and anti-prohibitionists have any sincere wish to thresh the matter out, both will refrain from wild accusations and intemperate language and resign themselves to a calm and intelligent discussion of a policy of democratic government.

It would be well for prohibitionists to bear in mind that the Eighteenth Amendment can be repealed. Many thousands of lives were lost and many millions of dollars' worth of property were destroyed to add the Fifteenth Amendment to the Constitution and yet that amendment is entirely ignored.

The Eighteenth Amendment was added rather easily and without loss of life. It can be repealed just as easily if those who are opposed to it will muster up enough votes to repeal it.

The prohibitionists who want to maintain this amendment must always be ready to advance sane and intelligent arguments for their cause.

It would also be well for those who are opposed to prohibition to bear in mind that a fair and impartial referendum may result in favor of retaining this amendment to the Constitution. And as our form of government is squarely based upon the will of the majority, such opponents would have to abide by the result of such a vote.

These anti-prohibitionists ought, therefore, also refrain from intemperate charges and accusations and rely entirely upon the arguments which they can bring forward to prove that prohibition is unwise.

Neither side can accomplish anything but discontent by accusing the other or making wild and unfounded assertions. Both sides should be willing to rest upon the truthfulness and the wisdom of their cause, and, ABOVE ALL, be always willing to submit it to the country's electorate.

Nothing can be gained by accusing prohibitionists of being fanatics or meddling preachers or dishonest Government employes. And nothing can be gained by accusing those who are opposed to prohibition of working for the liquor interests or serving their own appetites.

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Specializing In Meteorites

BY GARRETT P. SERVISS.

Professor Arthur M. Miller, of the University of Kentucky, has a special line in astronomy which, though not very much followed, is full of absorbing interest. It might be called fishing for meteorites, except that these strange wanderers in the celestial ocean cannot be baited, nor in any manner caught until they have "landed" of their own accord.

Since their rapid flights through the atmosphere before they get down often extend for many hundred miles, sometimes across several States. It might seem impossible to follow the course of any one of them from its first appearance until it has "netted" itself in the meshes of atmospheric resistance and dropped to the ground—yet the feat, as Professor Miller's success proves, can be accomplished.

Many large meteorites (perhaps all or nearly all) burst and scatter into a great number of fragments not long before reaching the earth's surface. On the principle that it is easier to hit a target with a charge of birdshot than with a bullet, this may aid in the pursuit by increasing the chance of finding the place where the meteorite came down.

The principles of this chase, (to vary the metaphor), resemble those of the bee-hunter, who sets captured wild bees free at different points, notes exactly the directions of their flight, and by estimating the crossing place of the converging lines, locates the "bee-tree."

In a similar way Professor Miller has several times followed up a meteorite, utilizing the observations of others as far as available, and succeeded in finding it, or fragments of it far from the place where its fiery flight was first noticed.

A specific case is always the most interesting and convincing, and here is Professor Miller's account of how he traced the flight of a meteorite in 1919, and recovered some of its fragments, though the main mass is still unfound:

"It fell near midday on April 9, and the horizontal component of fall," (i. e. the direction in which it traveled in the air), "was from south to north, coming into Southern Kentucky from over the State of Tennessee. In the latter State the sky was cloudless, and, though near midday, the meteorite shone with a brilliance above that of the sun. Over Kentucky hung clouds obscuring it from view, but by this time the stone was near enough to the earth to be detonating with terrific violence, so that its position from point to point could be located by the sound. Indeed, the concussions were so violent as to shake buildings, leading county papers of that region first to report the phenomenon as an earthquake. .... In coming north over Kentucky this meteorite's horizontal component paralleled the line of the Cincinnati Southern Railroad, and it is an interesting fact that the tower men along the line of this road, as far as Danville, kept by telephone ahead of this 'commotion' coming up the road—that is ahead of the sound of it. Fragments began to spall off at Sawyer Post Office, near Cumberland Falls, and some fifty-four pounds of the material were secured by the writer from that vicinity. There is little doubt, however, that the main mass, which must be very large for an aerolite, went on farther north and today lies buried somewhere in the very rugged portion of Pulaski County, north of the Cumberland River."

It will be noticed that Professor Miller calls this particular body an "aerolite," which is the name given to the species of meteorites that have a stony composition, and consist largely of silicates of magnesium, calcium, aluminum, etc. Their specific gravity is much less than that of the iron meteorites, which are alloyed with nickel. Professor Miller suggests that the first of the famous Damascus sword blades were made from a nickeliron meteorite.

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DRESS

By Mary Marshall

The Bertha Reappears to Offer Becoming Neckline to Many Summer Frocks

Nothing ever goes quite out of fashion without coming back to say good-bye. That you must surely know if you have been a close observer of fashions. Any fashion—let us say berthas, monkey fur, beaded bags—has a tremendous run. Smart women adopt it, then "everybody" adopts it. It is the rage. It becomes over popular, and is abandoned by the discriminating, and goes along as one of the fashions run into the ground. Then, suddenly, for no very good reason, the discriminating few snatch it back for a season of favor. It was so with periwinkle blue. That color was smart and then very quickly went from the exclusive millinery shops to the bargain basements. It was hopelessly commonplace. You avoided it as you would have avoided stale slang or yesterday's griddle cakes. Then quite unexpectedly it reappeared in the smart millinery shops—not abundantly, but here and there, enjoying a short season of very discriminating favor.

The same thing seems to be going on with the bertha. It was a fashion that raged a little over two years ago, but it was such an easy device that it was soon run into the ground. Every one wore frocks with deep lace berthas. Then came the period of commonplaceness and then of oblivion. And now, behold the bertha is again smart. It appears on many of the most charming lingerie or lace frocks—this time in a rather shallow version, but a veritable bertha nevertheless.

The bertha of the middle of the last century was usually worn so that the opening came in the back. It was described as a little cape worn low on the shoulders and put on backwards. Now there is a tendency to have an opening in the front. The bertha of the moment is usually quite narrow and usually rather skimpy. A light figured crepe bertha, open in front, and made entirely of the printed crepe of the frock. Another summer frock from France is of white crepe embroidered in vivid colors, finished with a straight, brief little bertha of organdie—likewise open in front.

The sketch shows a frock of white net over pink satin. There is a bertha of net edged with rows of narrow lace.

White net frock over pink satin slip. The net is tucked in big squares. The bertha, of net, is edged with rows of valenciennes lace and there is a velvet sash.

WISE AND OTHERWISE

BY MARY MARSHALL

THE LITTLE TRAVELER

It is the honest belief of many a mother that the "excitement" of traveling "upsets" her children. The change of climate is often blamed for the upsets that so often come to little children when they travel by land or by water, by train, motor or boat. And all the time the trouble is probably one of diet pure and simple. Children are given candy, crackers or other between meals to keep them quiet. Sometimes it is inconvenient to have meals at the regular times so the children are given sweet crackers or chocolate to keep them going. It is usually such irregularities rather than possible excitement that makes the trouble.

If you are traveling this summer with your children it is really well worth while to adopt a very strict set of rules concerning their diet. Their food on the way should be simpler, rather than more complicated, than when at home. If you are not perfectly sure of the source of the milk have it boiled, avoid fresh fruit for young children and most of all avoid candies, sweet cakes and rich crackers. Bread with a little sugar sprinkled on top makes a dessert that proves to be surprisingly palatable to the child whose appetite has not been spoiled with rich foods or between meals.

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BY S. E. KISER

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The gift of speech has been conferred,
Who never needs, in joy or gloom,
To struggle for a handy word.
Some men, with not a thing to say,
Can still talk other people blind;
I wish that I could "spiel" away
While having nothing on my mind.

Those men arouse my envy who
Let words come in a steady flow
Concerning things they never knew,
And never, probably, will know.
A gift it is, and nothing less,
To use two hundred words, or three,
When "no" would serve as well, or "yes"—
A gift that is denied to me.

Too often I am at a loss
To say the things that should be said;
I hem, when I address the boss,
And haw and stammer and get red;
I never, at the proper time,
Can get the word I want to reach;
With sorrow I admit that I'm
A kidney when it comes to speech.

I come in contact every day
With men who manage to get on—
Men who, with nothing much to say,
Make use of all the lexicon.
It's tough to have to sit aside
And listen to the noisy birds;
I'd give a lot if I could hide
My ignorance by wasting words.

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DATE	CLOSING	STEAMER	DUE AT	DATE
July 28	1 p.m.	Taiyo Maru		
July 28	9 p.m.	P. McKinley	Seattle	

TO SOUTHERN PORTS INDIA & EUROPE VIA SUEZ

DATE	CLOSING	STEAMER	DUE AT	DATE
July 25	8 p.m.	Hakozaki Maru	London	
July 30	9 p.m.	Amazone	Marseilles	

TO NORTHERN PORTS

TO	DATE	CLOSING	STEAMER
Vladivostok	Daily	9 p.m.	via Harbin
Siberia	Daily	3 p.m.	via Chita
Tsingtau	Today	12 m.n.	Kanchow
Chefoo & Tientsin	July 26	8 a.m.	Fengtien
Chefoo & Tientsin	July 27	7 a.m.	Lienhsing
Tsingtau & Dairen	July 28	8 p.m.	Saikio M.
Chefoo & Tientsin	July 30	8 a.m.	Kingsing

TO SOUTHERN PORTS

TO	DATE	CLOSING	STEAMER
Hongkong & Canton	Today	8 p.m.	Hakozaki M
Swatow	Today	12 m.n.	Luchow
Swatow	Today	11 p.m.	Taksang
Hongkong & Canton	July 26	8 p.m.	Rhexenor
Hongkong & Canton	July 26	2.30 p.m.	Pres. Jackson
Amoy	July 26	12 m. n.	Sunning
Hongkong & Canton	July 26	8 p.m.	Titan
Hongkong & Canton	July 27	8 p.m.	Kendal Castle

MISCELLANEOUS PORTS

TO	DATE	CLOSING	STEAMER
Russia and Europe	Daily	9 p.m.	via Train
River ports	Daily	9 p.m.	via Train
Japan ports	Today	8 p.m.	Omi Maru
Manila, Australia & New Zealand via H'kong	July 25	8 p.m.	Hakozaki M
Manila, Australia & New Zealand via H'kong	July 26	2.30 p.m.	Pres. Jackson
Manila, Australia & New Zealand via H'kong	July 27	3 p.m.	Tenyo Maru

Men-Of-War In Port

Section	Date	Name	Flag and Rating
Mc. K. W.	Apr. 11	Cricket	Br. Gun-boat
E.E.W.	May 30	Hira	Jap. Destroyer
E.E.W.	June 17	Hosa	Jap. Gun-boat
No. 1 B.	June 26	Asheville	Am. Gun-boat
1 C	July 2	Libia	It. Cruiser
O.G.W.		Teal	Br. Gun-boat
1 C	July 11	Isabel	Am. Yacht
J N B	July 12	Jone	Am. des.
1 C	July 17	Noa	Jap. Cruiser
I C	July 17	Pidgeon	Am. Gun-boat
B N B	July 18	Alcos	Fr. Gun-boat

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For America and Canada

July 26 — Portland	A. E. Morse	Am. Lumber Co.
July 28 — San Francisco	Taiyo Maru	Jap. T. K. K.
July 29 — Seattle	P. McKinley	Am. Adl. O. Line
Aug. 2 — Vancouver	E. of Russia	Am. C. P. O. S.
Aug. 2 — San Francisco	†P. Pierce	Am. P.M.S.S. C.
Aug. 9 — New York	Taketoyo Mar	Jap. N.Y.K.
Aug. 10 — Seattle	P. Jackson	Am. Adl. O. Line
Aug. 11 — San francisco	Tenyo Maru	Jap. T.K.K.
Aug. 16 — San Francisco	Pres. Taft	Am. P.M.S.S. Co.
Aug. 18 — Vancouver	E. of Australia	Am. C. P. O. S.
Aug. 22 — Seattle	P. Jefferson	Am. Adl. O. Line
Aug 25 — San Francisco	†Korea Maru	Jap. T. K. K.
Aug. 30 — San Francisco	P. Wilson	Am. P.M.S.S. C.

For Europe, India, Straits, Etc.

July 26 — London	Hakozaki M.	Jap. N.Y.K.
July 27 — Liverpool	Telamon	Br. B. & S.
July 30 — Trieste	Gerama	It. L.T.S.N. Co.
July 31 — Marseilles	†Amazone	Fr. M. M. Co.
Aug. 1 — Marseilles	†P. Garfield	Am. Dollar Line
Aug. 2 — Trieste	Rosandra	It. L.T.S.N. Co.
Aug. 2 — Naples	Emil Kirdorf	Ger. H. S. Line
Aug. 2 — London	Glentara	Br. G. L. E. A.
Aug. 5 — London	Devanha	Br. P. & O.
Aug. 9 — Rotterdam	†Oldekerk	Det. H. C. T. Co.
Aug. 9 — London	Hakusan M	Jap. N. Y. K.
Aug. 14 — Marseilles	Angkor	Fr. M. M. Co.
Aug. 14 — Liverpool	Ixion	Br. B. & S.
Aug. 14 — London	Durban Maru	Jap. N. Y. K.
Aug. 15 — Marseilles	†Pres. Polk	Am. Dollar Co.
Aug. 19 — London	†Mantau	Br. P. & O.
Aug. 20 — London	Tsuruga Maru	Jap. N. Y. K.
Aug. 23 — London	Kitano Maru	Jap. N. Y. K.
Aug. 28 — Marseilles	Azay Le Rideau	Fr. M. M. Co
Aug. 29 — Marseilles	Brenta	It. L.T.S.N. Co.
Aug. 29 — Trieste	Scheer	It. L.T.S.N. Co.
Aug. 30 — Naples	†P. Monroe	Am. Dollar Line

For Japan Ports

July 25 — Nagasaki	Shanghai Maru	Jap. N. Y. K.
July 26 — Nagoya	Aso Maru	Jap. N. Y. K.
July 26 — Moji	Omi Maru	Jap. N. Y. K.
July 29 Nagasaki	Nagasaki M.	Jap. N. Y. K.
July 30 — Moji	Nikko Maru	Jap. N. Y. K.
Aug. 30 — Kobe	Laconia	It. L.T.S.N. Co.

For Australia and Hongkong

July 26	5.00 Hongkong, Manila	P. Jackson	Am. Adl. O. Line
July 27	— Hongkong, Manila	Tenyo Maru	Jap. T. K. K.
July 30	— Hongkong, Manila	P. Taft	Am. P.M.S.S. C.
Aug. 6	— Hongkong	Yokohama M.	Jap. N.Y.K.
Aug. 7	— Hongkong, Manila	P. Jefferson	Am. Adl. O. Line
Aug. 13	— Hongkong, Manila	P. Wilson	Am. P.M.S.S. C.
Aug. 19	— Hongkong, Manila	P. Grant	Am. Adl. O. Line
Aug. 27	— Hongkong, Manila	P. Lincoln	Am. P.M.S.S. Co.

For Southern Ports

July 25 M. Foochow	Hsinchi	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
July 25 M. Canton	Hsinkong	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
July 26 D.L. Swatow, Canton	Nanning	Br. B. & S.
July 26 D.L. Hongkong, Canton	Luchow	Br. B. & S.
July 27 D.L. Hongkong, Canton	Taksang	Br. J. M. & Co.
July 27 7:00 Amoy and Canton	Sunning	Br. B. & S.
July 29 10.00 Swatow, Canton	Suechuen	Br. B. & S.
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July 25 D.L. Chefoo, Tientsin	Chungking	Br. B. & S.
July 25 D.L. Dairen	Tientsin	Br. B. & S.
July 26 8.00 *Tsingtao	Kanchow	Br. B. & S.
July 26 10:00 Chefoo, Tientsin	Fengtien	Br. B. & S.
July 26 9.00 Chefoo, Newchwang	Chihli	Br. B. & S.
July 27 8.00 Antung	Kiukiang	Br. B. & S.
July 27 10.00 Chefoo, Tientsin	Lienhsing	Br. J. M. & Co.
July 29 3.00 Chefoo, Tientsin	Shuntien	Br. B. & S.
July 31 11.00 Chefoo, Tientsin	Chekiang	Br. B. & S.

For River Ports

July 23	M.N. Hankow	Linan	Br. B. & S.
July 24	M.N. Hankow	Wenchow	Br. B. & S.
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July 24	D.L. Pukow	Taksang	Br. J.M. & Co.
July 25	M.N. Hankow	Kungwo	Br. J. M. & Co.
July 25	M.N. Hankow	Luenyi	Br. B. & S.
July 24	M.N. Hankow	Kiangwah	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co
July 26	M.N. Hankow	Whangpu	Br. B. & S.
July 27	M.N. Hankow	Kiangyung	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
July 28	M.N. Hankow	Tatung	Br. B. & S.
July 28	M.N. Hankow	Suiwo	Br. J. M. & Co.
July 28	M.N. Hankow	Kiangan	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
July 29	M.N. Hankow	Loongwo	Br. J. M. & Co.
July 29	M.N. Hankow	Ngankin	Br. B. & S.
July 30	M.N. Hankow	Wosung	Br. B. & S.
July 31	M.N. Hankow	Shengking	Br. B. & S.

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The I.-C. s.s. Loongwo from Hankow and river ports is expected to arrive in Shanghai on Sunday morning July 27.

The I.-C. s.s. Taksang from Pukow is expected to arrive in Shanghai on July 26.

The I.C. s.s. Kutwo from Hankow and ports is expected to arrive in Shanghai on July 30.

SOUTHERN PORTS

The I.C. s.s. Yatshing from Hongkong and Swatow is expected to arrive in Shanghai Tuesday July 28.

The I-C. s.s. Loksang from Canton, Hongkong and Swatow is expected to arrive in Shanghai July 28.

The I-C. s.s. Yusang from Swatow direct is expected to arrive in Shanghai July 28.

The I.C. s.s. Wosang from Canton, Hongkong and Swatow is expected to arrive in Shanghai Saturday July 26.

NORTHERN PORTS

The I. C. s.s. Leinhsing from Tientsin, Chefoo and Weihaiwei is expected to arrive in Shanghai Friday, July 25.

The I-C. s.s. Kingsing from Tientsin Chefoo and Weihaiwei is expected to arrive in Shanghai July 28.

The I.C. s.s. Tingsang from Tientsin, Chefoo and Weihaiwei is expected to arrive in Shanghai Tuesday, July 29

The K.M.A. s.s. Hwah Wu (chartered) which left Chinwangtao on July 22 is expected to arrive in Shanghai July 25.

FOR JAPAN PORTS

The Blue Funnel s.s. Rhexenor which left Yokohama on July 19 for Shanghai via Tsingtau is expected to arrive in Shanghai July 26.

The N.Y.K. s.s. Shanghai Maru arrived in Shanghai from Nagasaki on July 23 and will return to Nagasaki and Kobe on July 25.

The N.Y.K. s.s. Omi Maru from Moji arrived in Shanghai July 23 and will return to Moji on July 26.

The N.Y.K. s.s. Hakozaki Maru arrived in Shanghai from Moji on July 24 and will sail for European ports on July 26.

The N.Y.K. s.s. Aso Maru arrived in Shanghai July 24 from Moji and will sail, for Nagoya on July 26.

The M.M. s.s. Angkor which arrived in Shanghai Wednesday July 23 is expected to continue her trip to Japan when she will sail for Yokohama and Kobe on August 1.

EUROPEAN LINES

The L.T.S.N. s.s. Venezia which sailed from Trieste on June 20 left Colombo on July 14 and is expected to arrive in Shanghai on August 6.

The L.T.S.N. s.s. Brenta sailed from Trieste for China and Japan ports June 5 afternoon and left Singapore July 16 is expected to arrive in Shanghai July 28.

The N.D.L. s.s. Schlesien which left Singapore enroute to Shanghai July 22 is expected to arrive here August 2.

The Ben s.s. Benclench from London via ports left Penang on July 16 and is expected to arrive in Shanghai August 2.

The Ben s.s. Benrinnes left London on June 20 for Shanghai via ports and is due to arrive here August 14.

The Blue Funnel s.s. Adrastus departed from Liverpool June 14 and left Singapore enroute for Shanghai July 16. The Liner is expected to arrive here July 26.

The Blue Funnel s.s. Troilus left Liverpool on June 21 and sailed from Singapore enroute to Shanghai on July 18, the liner is due here July 28.

The Blue Funnel s.s. Memnon left Liverpool for China ports on June 28 and is expected to arrive in Shanghai August 11.

The G. L. E. A. s.s. Glenshiel from London left Suez on June 26 and is expected to arrive in Shanghai about July 28.

The P. & O. s.s. Mirzapore from London sailed from Singapore at daylight on July 15.

The P. and O. s.s. Kaiyan from London was expected to leave Hongkong on July 24 for Shanghai.

The P. & O. s.s. Mantau from London was expected to leave Hongkong on July 24 for Shanghai.

The M.M s.s. Azay Le Rideau which left Marseilles on July 3 is expected to arrive in Shanghai about August 7.

The H.C.T. s.s. Boeton from Antwerp is expected to arrive in Shanghai about August 3.

The G.L.E.A. s.s. Glenogle is expected to depart from London for the Far East on July 26. The steamer will probably arrive in Shanghai sometime in August.

The G. L. E. A. s.s. Pembrokeshire which left London on June 28 is expected to arrive in Shanghai August 11.

The N.D.L. s.s. Aachen from Antwerp left for Shanghai via Suez and ports on July 13. The liner is expected to arrive here on August 29.

The P. & O. s.s. Sicilia from Hongkong is expected to leave that port for Shanghai on July 26 at daylight.

The P. & O. s.s. Nagoya is expected to sail July 25 from Singapore enroute for Shanghai from London.

The Swedish East-Asiatic s.s. Nanking from Gothenburg left Rotterdam for Shanghai on July 11 and is expected to arrive here August 29.

The Swedish East-Asiatic s.s. Canton from Gothenburg left Christiania enroute to Shanghai on July 12. The liner is expected to arrive here on August 24.

The L.T.S.N. s.s. Fiume L. which sailed from Trieste on July 20 is expected to arrive in Shanghai September 5.

AMERICAN LINES

The Dodwell s.s. Kendal Castle is expected to arrive in Shanghai from New York on August 5.

The Dodwell s.s. Wray Castle is expected to arrive in Shanghai about August 31.

The Dollar liner President Garfield sailed from San Francisco for Shanghai on July 5. The liner is due here July 29 and will sail for New York via Suez on August 1.

The Dollar Liner President Polk from New York on her second voyage around the world sailed from San Francisco on July 19. The liner is expected to arrive in Shanghai August 12.

The Dollar s.s. President Monroe which sailed from New York on July 10 is scheduled to leave San Francisco on August 2 for the Orient and is due to arrive in Shanghai about August 26.

The P. M. s.s. President Taft from San Francisco is expected to arrive in Shanghai on July 29 and will sail for Hongkong and Manila on July 30.

The Adl.O. Line s.s. President Jackson is expected to arrive in Shanghai from Seattle via Japan ports at 6 p.m. on July 25. The liner will dock at the China Merchants' Central Wharf and leave for Hongkong and Manila at 5 p.m. on July 26.

The Dollar s.s. President Harrison sailed from New York on July 24 for the Orient and on her third trip round the world.

The Adl. O. Line s.s. President Jefferson sailed from Seattle on July 19 and is expected to arrive in Shanghai August 5.

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Capsa	June 18
China Arrow	June 11
Java Maru	June 25
Natica	June 28
Polyphemus	July 19
President Lincoln	June 22
President Wilson	June 8
Shabonee	June 2
Shinyo Maru	June 30
Siberia Maru	July 16
Tecumsek	July 16
Yankee Arrow	July 6

FOR VANCOUVER

Africa Maru	June 6
Empress of Asia	July 6
Empress of Australia	June 16
Empress of Canada	July 22

FOR SEATTLE

Alabama Maru	July 23
Arabia Maru	July 12
Arizona Maru	June 27
Edmore	June 21
Ewiken	June 21
Dewey	July 17
President Jackson	June 12
President Grant	July 5
President Madison	July 17
Stoweken	July 5
Sithonia	June 25
West Nomentum	June 30
West O'Rowa	July 5

FOR NEW YORK

Bolton Castle	June 13
City of Shanghai	June 28
City of Tokio	June 12
Cyclops	July 8
Dryden	July 4
Eastern Prince	June 24
Fushimi Maru	July 12
Gaelic Prince	July 10
Havre Maru	July 6
Menelous	June 18
President Adams	July 18
President Hayes	June 20
Stanley	July 8
Taksoka Maru	June 22
Tatsuno Maru	July 12

FOR UNITED KINGDOM

Anchises	July 11
Carmarthenshire	July 6
Carnarvonshire	July 17
City of Athens	June 13
City of Napier	July 7
Colorado	July 15
Demodocus	June 27
Genoa Maru	July 5
Glengarry	June 6
Hakone Maru	June 14
Karmala	July 8
Kashgar	June 13
Laomedon	June 6
Lycaon	June 25
Malwa	July 22
Morea	June 24
Ningchow	June 15
Phemius	July 4
President Cleveland	July 20
Suwa Maru	June 28
Telamon	July 16

FOR HAMBURG

Atlas Maru	July 8
Elverie	June 20
Earnland	July 13
R. C. Rickmers	June 28
Ouderkerk	June 23
Pfalz	July 7
Westerdyk	July 8

FOR COPENHAGEN

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FOR BARCELONIA

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FOR TRIESTE

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Chantilly	June 19
Porthos	July 17
Sikiang	June 24

FOR INDIA

Calcutta Maru	June 25
Kidderpore	June 27
Soudan	July 4
Steel Exporter	June 19
Tilkandi	June 13

Weather Reports

July 23.—Fairly heavy anticyclone about the Bonin. Two low centres: the one to the E. of Hainan, the other off ENE Luzon. A depression is likely forming E. of Yap. Fresh monsoon on the Yellow Sea. Variable breezes in the North. Moderate cyclonic winds in the depressions. Fine weather in our Valley. Intense heat in Chihli and Liaotung. Overcast weather in the south. Rain in Shantung.

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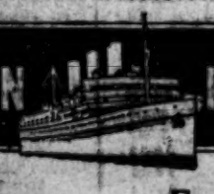

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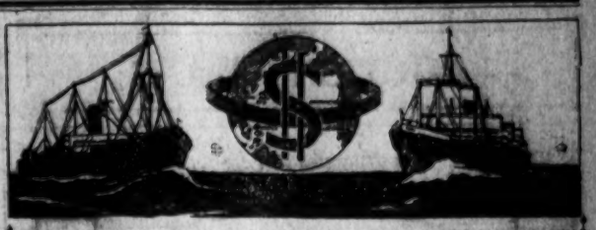

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Leave Shanghai		A. Kobe	Arr. Yoko.
Taiyo Maru	July 28	Aug. 1	Aug. 4
Tenyo Maru	Aug. 11	Aug. 15	Aug. 18
Korea Maru	Aug. 25	Aug. 29	Sept. 1
Shinyo Maru	Sept. 7	Sept. 11	Sept. 14

Leave Yokohama		L. Kobe	Arr. S'hai.
Korea Maru	Aug. 5	Aug. 7	Aug. 10
Shinyo Maru	Aug. 18	Aug. 20	Aug. 23
Siberia Maru	Sept. 2	Sept. 4	Sept. 7
Taiyo Maru	Sept. 15	Sept. 17	Sept. 21

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SUMMARY OF AUCTIONS

On Saturday, 26th July, 1924, at 10 a.m.
In Front Salesroom Household Furniture & Sundries.

On Monday, 28th July, 1924, at 10 a.m.
At 115 Route Vallon Superior Household Furniture & Sundries.

DETAILS OF AUCTIONS AS UNDER:—

In Front Salesroom

On Saturday, 26th July, 1924, Commencing at 10 a.m.

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1 Lunch Outfit
1 Remington, 1 Corona, 1 Emerson, 1 Liga Typewriters.
1 Long Armoured Garden Hose
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Shanghai Tramways

The following is the traffic return of the Shanghai Tramways, foreign Settlement, for the week ended July 23, 1924, with figures for the corresponding week last year:

	1924
Gross receipts	$87,913.94
Loss by currency depreciation	$41,418.66
Effective receipts	$46,495.28
Percentage of loss by currency depreciation	48.23
Car miles run	118,191
Passengers carried	2,437,874
	1923
Gross receipts	$74,802.56
Loss by currency depreciation	$31,389.62
Effective receipts	$42,912.94
Percentage of loss by currency depreciation	44.19
Car miles run	117,973
Passengers carried	2,596,442

Coal Market

Messrs. Wheelock & Co. state in their coal market report:

Japan Coal: The market continues very dull and there has been no business done worth speaking about—which is hardly to be wondered at considering the season of the year. Stocks on the spot are increasing and prices are easier.

Fushun Coal: No change.

Fuchung Anthracite: No change.

Kaiping Coal: There is little change to report and the present quiet period will no doubt continue until the cotton mills start working longer hours on the new crop. Deliveries from godown, however, maintain a very fair average and there is practically no addition to normal stocks.

Freight Report

Messrs. Wheelock & Co.'s freight market report states:—Since last writing our export market has shown more activity, especially as regards cargo from the northern ports and Hankow, at any rate as far as Europe is concerned. Tea is moving in larger volume and prospects are better than they have been for some considerable time. Shipments to America, however, with the exception of silk, are very restricted.

Coastwise: All markets continue dull and the heavy floods reported from practically all over China—from the northern and Yangtsze River ports from Foochow and the West River, added to the recent strike at Shameen, Canton, are having a very adverse effect on berth business.

Provision Prices In Local Market

Prices quoted are in Mexican dollar cents at Hongkew Market compiled on July 22, 1924.

Butcher's Meat		
Beef	per lb.	16-30
Mutton	,,	18-30
Pork	,,	30-40
Veal	,,	24-36
Fish		
Bream	per lb.	45-50
Cod	,,	16-20
Mandarin	per lb.	50-60
Mackerel	,,	20-25
Pomfret	,,	20-25
Salmon	,,	none
Samli	,,	50-60
Soles	,,	40-50
Whitebait	,,	25-30
Game Poultry and Eggs		
Deer	each	none
Eggs	per doz.	20-25
Fowl	per lb.	30-35
Hare	each	none
Partridge	,,	none
Pheasant	,,	none
Geese	,,	90-$1.20
Plover	,,	none
Pigeons	,,	18-20
Quail	,,	none
Snipe	,,	18-20
Teal	,,	none
Turkey	per lb.	55-60
Woodcock	,,	none
Wild Duck	,,	none
Duck	each	80-$1.00
Wild Pigeon	,,	none
Fruit		
Apricots	per lb.	10-15
Apples	,,	10-15
Bananas	,,	7-8
Chestnuts	,,	none
Cherries	per lb.	none
Figs	per doz.	none
Grapes	per lb.	none
Cocoanuts	each	18-20
Grape fruit	each	20-25
Lichees	per lb.	25-30
Lemons	each	8-10
Oranges	per doz.	$1.00-$1.20
Mangoes	each	none
Peaches	per lb.	12-18
Melons	each	20-30
Mangosteens	ped doz.	none
Persimmons	pel lb.	none
Pears	,,	10-12
Peeboes	,,	12-15
Plums	,,	10-14
Pumeloes	each	20-25
Pineapples	,,	12-15
Strawberries	per lb.	none
Walnuts	,,	15-18
Vegetables		
Artichokes	each	8-10
Asparagus	per doz.	30-40
Bamboo Shoots	per lb.	none
Beetroot	per bunch	2-3
Broad Beans	per lb.	none
Cabbages	each	5-8
Celery	per bunch	none
Cucumber	,,	3-4
Carrots	,,	2-3
Cauliflower	each	none
Egg Plant	per lb.	4-5
French Beans	,,	8-10
Green Corn	each	2-3
Peas	per lb.	none
Mushrooms	per lb.	none
Leeks	per bunch	2-3
Parsnips	,,	4-5
Potatoes	per picul	$.18-$2.00
Onions	per lb.	2-3
Spinach	,,	2-3
Tomatoes	,,	4-5
Radishes	per bunch	1-3
Turnips	per bunch	2-3
Grain and Flour		
Flour American	50 lbs.	$4.00
Flour Shanghai	,,	$2.60
Bran	per 114 lbs.	$2.60
Barley	,,	$3.60
Rice	per 200 lbs.	$12.00
Milk		
Chinese dairies	per bottle	$0.30
Foreign dairies	,,	$0.35
Fuel		
Fire Wood	per 40 bundles	$1.00
Stove Coal	per ton Tls.	18.70
House Coal	,,	15-75

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25,000 tickets of $3 each

The drawing for prizes took place at the Committee's offices 14-16 Rue Chu Pao San on July 23rd, 1924, under the care of the Committee.

RESULTS:

Nos.	Prizes	Nos.	Prizes	Nos.	Prizes	Nos.	Prizes	Nos.	Prizes	Nos.	Prizes
01001	5	01162	5	01233	5	01263	5	01339	5	01377	5
01381	5	01387	5	01391	5	01486	5	01554	5	01558	5
01698	5	01749	5	01816	5	01850	5	01863	5	01879	5
01920	5	01929	5	01959	5	01987	5	02013	5	02047	5
02094	5	02100	5	02142	5	02269	5	02290	5	02357	5
02367	5	02584	5	02638	40	02685	5	02704	5	02725	5
02781	5	02807	5	03031	5	03055	5	03066	5	03094	5
03222	5	03399	5	03432	5	03788	5	03855	5	03884	10
03925	5	04016	5	04023	5	04030	5	04188	5	04240	5
04302	5	04393	5	04446	5	04572	5	04638	5	04725	5
04777	5	04793	5	04849	5	04866	5	04998	5	05118	5
05148	5	05155	5	05252	5	05325	10	05329	5	05363	5
05462	5	05482	5	05585	5	05587	5	05681	10	05689	5
05723	5	05785	5	05849	5	05863	5	06224	5	06262	5
06341	5	06439	5	06509	10	06595	5	06629	5	06665	5
06679	5	06707	5	06745	5	06748	5	06752	5	06813	5
06816	5	06847	5	06923	5	06933	5	06937	5	07037	5
07071	5	07192	5	07235	5	07253	5	07293	5	07332	5
07419	5	07462	40	07536	5	07672	5	07689	5	07760	5
07924	5	07937	5	07983	5	08094	5	08131	5	08264	5
08315	5	08460	5	08470	5	08595	5	08648	5	08691	5
08741	5	08759	5	08788	5	08881	5	08904	5	08909	5
08942	5	08959	5	08978	5	08985	5	09044	50	Second Prize	
09045	2000	09046	50	09064	5	09127	5	09137	5	09148	5
09207	30	Third Prize		09208	1000	09209	30	09210	5	09293	10
09313	10	09329	100	First Prize		09330	20000	09331	100	09333	5
09353	5	09354	5	09386	5	09431	10	09446	5	09458	10
09520	5	09675	10	09925	5	10127	40	10134	5	10164	5
10415	5	10436	5	10502	5	10612	5	10614	5	10638	5
10647	5	10654	5	10806	5	10856	5	10889	5	10912	5
10942	5	10986	5	11109	10	11129	5	11193	5	11226	5
11233	40	11314	5	11347	5	11358	10	11405	5	11454	5
11461	5	11489	5	11541	5	11577	5	11604	5	11626	5
11784	5	11820	5	11837	5	11857	5	11931	5	12008	5
12057	5	12143	5	12190	5	12256	5	12426	5	12534	5
12629	5	12675	5	12710	5	12739	5	12747	5	12816	5
12931	5	12984	5	13162	40	13164	5	13399	5	13419	5
13459	5	13465	5	13483	5	13523	5	13598	5	13694	5
13783	5	13786	5	13800	5	13802	5	13890	5	13954	5
13980	5	13996	5	14001	5	14017	5	14054	40	14075	5
14305	5	14330	10	14381	5	14386	5	14422	5	14456	5
14568	5	14654	5	14691	5	14723	5	14793	5	14804	10
14835	5	14873	5	15075	5	15181	5	15194	5	15201	5
15294	5	15389	40	15404	5	15419	20	Fourth Prize.		15420	500
15421	20	15433	5	15596	10	15799	5	15818	5	15872	5
15962	5	16141	10	16206	10	16219	5	16257	5	16271	5
16322	40	16339	5	16470	5	16492	5	16582	5	16594	5
16608	5	16647	5	16670	5	16695	5	16746	5	16858	5
16905	5	16942	5	17208	5	17215	5	17241	5	17296	5
17311	5	17365	5	17391	5	17513	5	17526	5	17543	5
17553	5	17582	5	17623	5	17624	5	17746	5	17768	5
17816	5	17833	5	17882	10	Fifth Prize		17883	300	17884	10
17999	5	18057	5	18065	5	18244	5	18303	5	18305	5
18350	5	18459	5	18468	5	18504	5	18535	5	18593	10
18628	5	18653	5	18756	5	18822	5	18835	5	18883	5
18904	5	18950	5	18956	5	19181	5	19236	5	19382	5
19464	5	19502	40	19582	5	19601	5	19619	5	19710	5
19787	10	Fifth Prize		19788	300	19789	10	19839	5	20012	5
20069	10	20095	20	Fourth Prize		20096	500	20097	20	20157	5
20208	5	20323	5	20342	5	20407	5	20417	5	20423	5
20456	5	20484	5	20489	5	20496	5	20512	5	20595	5
20607	5	20653	5	20661	5	20685	5	20721	5	20799	5
20827	5	20879	5	20910	5	21067	5	21078	5	21174	5
21207	5	21215	5	21235	5	21260	5	21292	5	21303	5
21351	5	21363	5	21427	5	21451	40	21537	5	21584	5
21635	5	21665	5	21764	5	21858	5	21860	5	21932	5
21967	5	21995	5	22159	5	22228	5	22273	5	22359	5
22495	5	22508	5	22680	5	22708	5	22755	5	22768	5
22788	5	22812	5	22901	5	23041	5	23088	5	23115	5
23345	5	23377	5	23729	5	23795	5	23802	10	23822	5
24227	5	24253	5	24254	5	24273	5	24299	5	24311	5
24334	5	24342	5	24344	5	24414	5	24578	5	24607	5
24676	5	24787	5	24819	5	24854	5	24873	5	24879	5
24889	5	24948	5	24950	5	25219	5	25303	5	25316	5
25372	5	25472	5	25480	5	25699	5	25707	5	25805	10
25812	5	25815	5	25847	5	25872	5	25930	5	25937	5
25940	5	25995	5								

For numbers terminating with 0 (one terminal figure similar to the first prize) $4
" " " " 30 (two " figures " " " first ") $5
" " " " 45 (" " " " " " second ") $4
" " " " 08 (" " " " " " third ") $4
" " " 20 & 96 (" " " " " " fourth ") $4
" " " 83 & 88 (" " " " " " fifth ") $4

The numbers terminating with 30 are drawing only one prize of $5 for termination 30 (two terminal figures similar to the 1st prize).

The prizes are paid at the Committee's Office 14-16 Rue Chu Pao San (off Avenue Edward VII, parallel to Szechuen Road).

International Committee for Assistance and Repatriation of Russian Refugees.

Information For Mariners

FRIDAY, JULY 25, 1924

The morning tides are higher than the evening tides, they are about equal after noon and midnight.
Approximate rise, at spring 4¼ h; at neaps, 5 h.
fall, at spring 3¼ h; at neaps, 7½ h.

Time	Range	Time	Range
7h. 55m.	2ft. 0in.	8h. 35m.	4ft. 11in.

High Water at Tungsha Lightship
(The morning tide are higher than the evening tides.)
Approximate rise, 1½ h; approximate fall, 7 h.

A.M.	P.M.
5h. 32m.	6h. 02m.

Time of Moonrise, Moonset, Sunrise, Sunset.

Moon Rises	Moon Sets	Sun Rises	Sun Sets	Daylight	Dark
0:09 a.m.	1:23 p.m.	5h. 13m.	6h. 58m.	4h. 28m.	6h. 43m.

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